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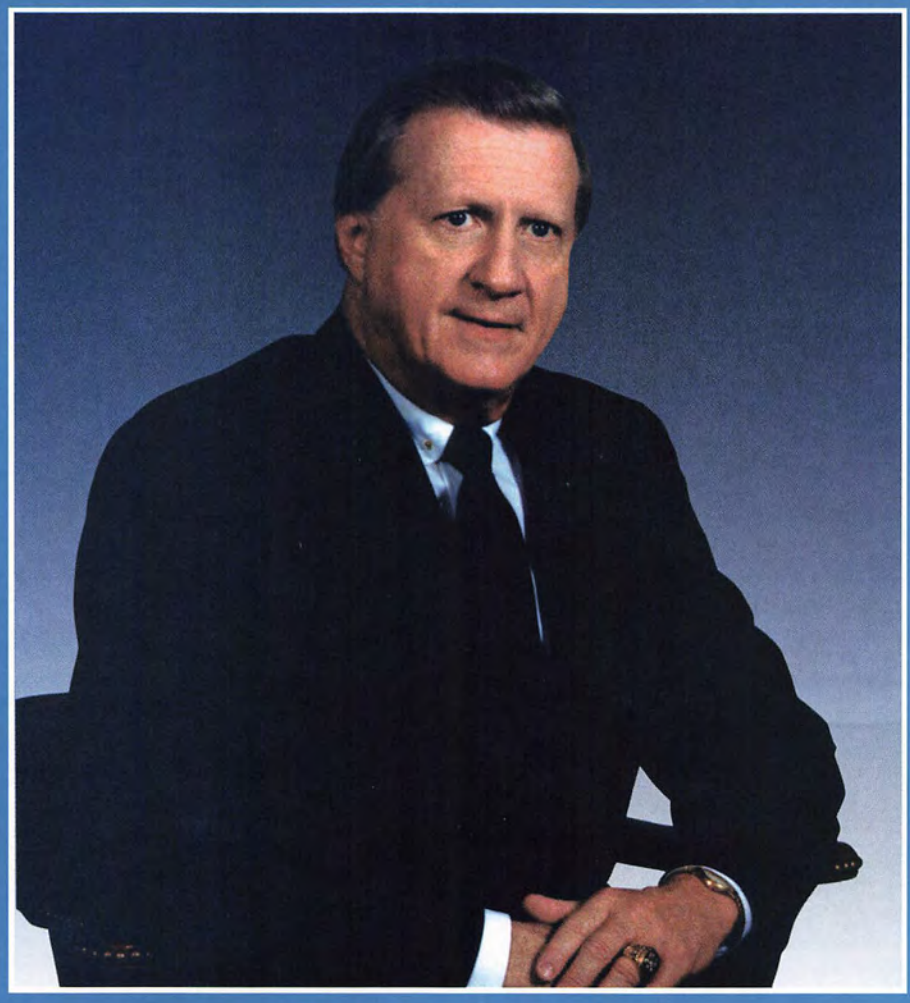

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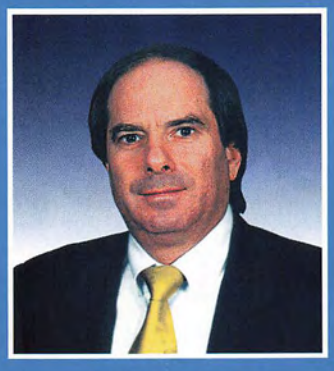

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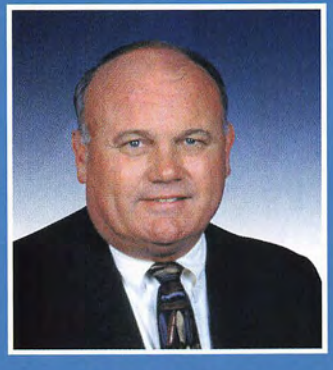

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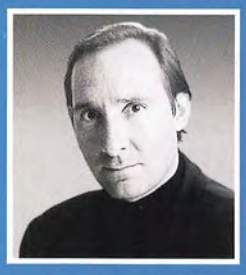

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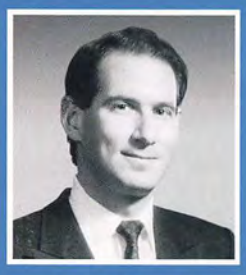

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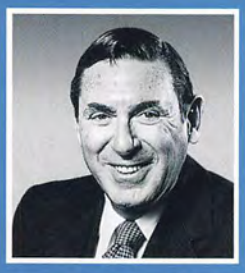

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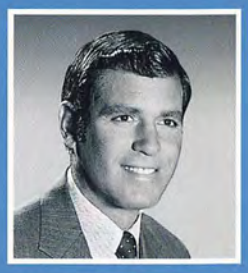

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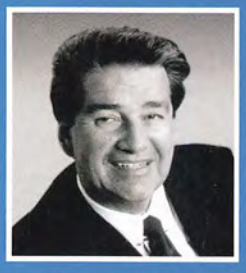

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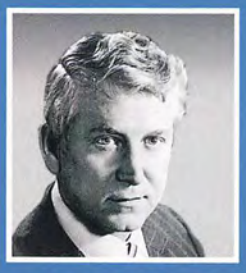

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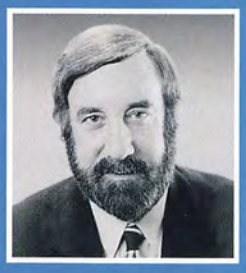

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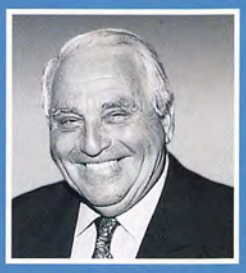

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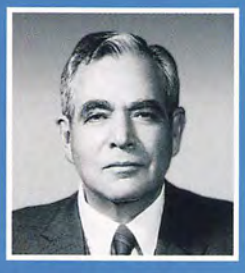

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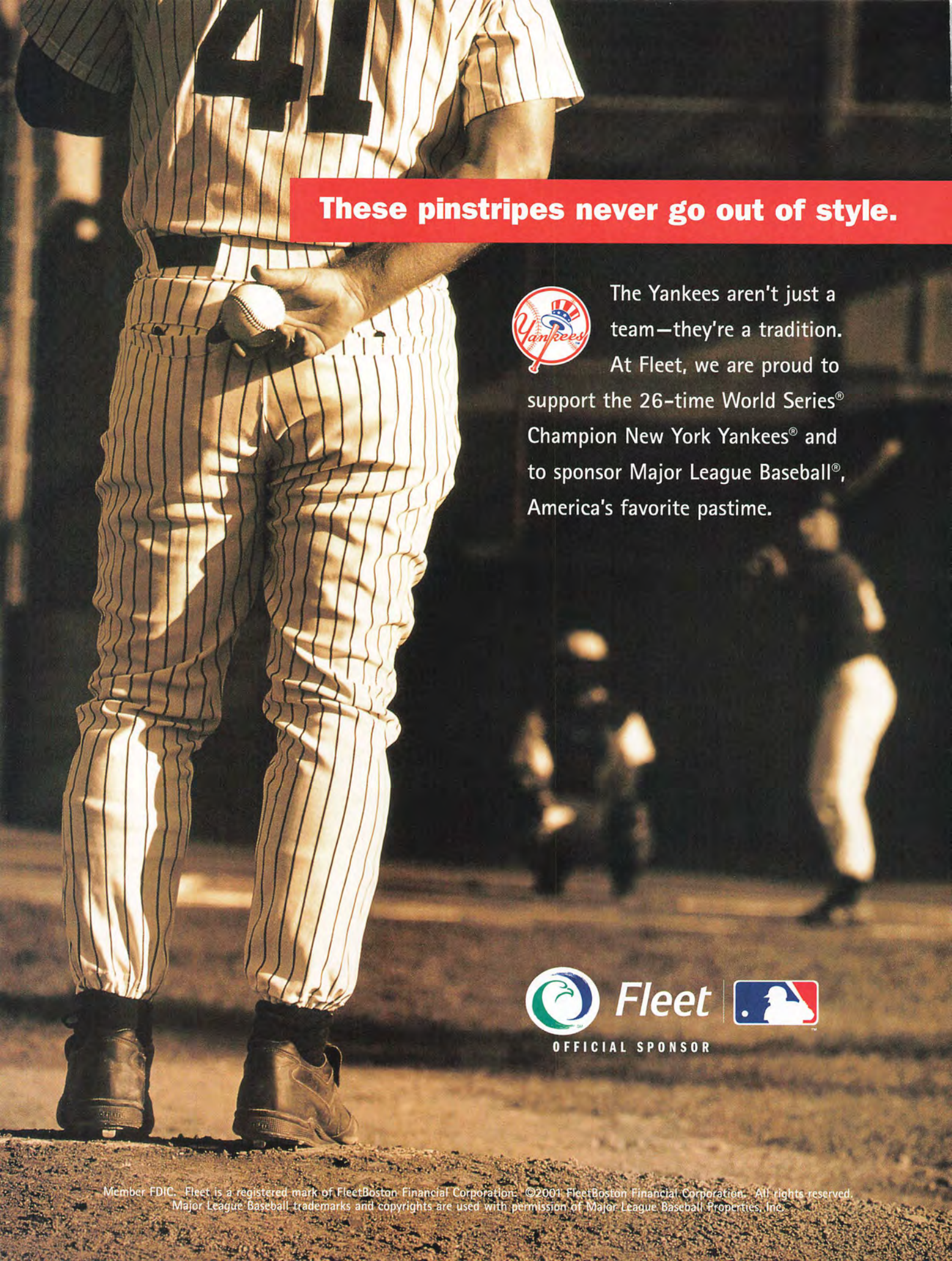
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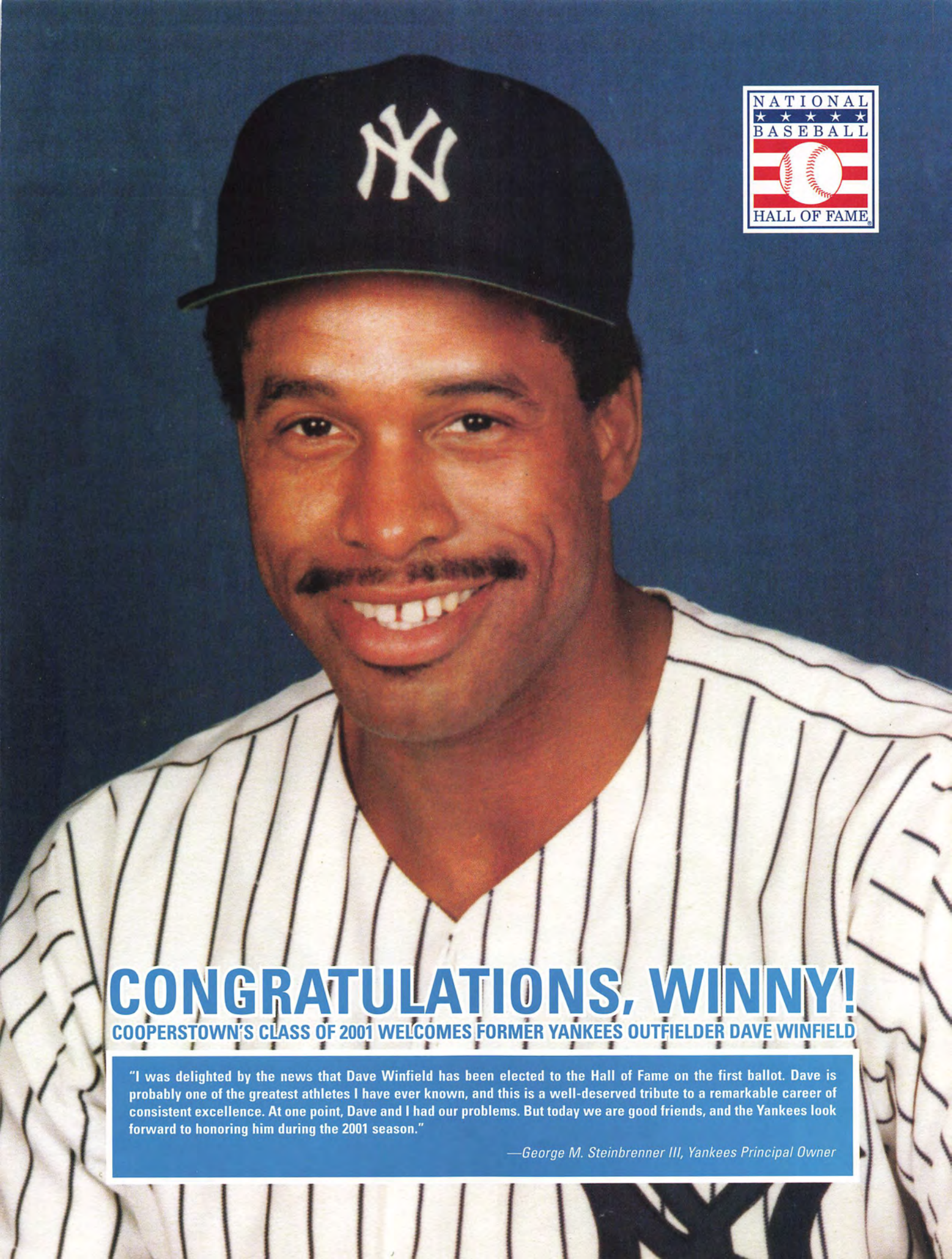


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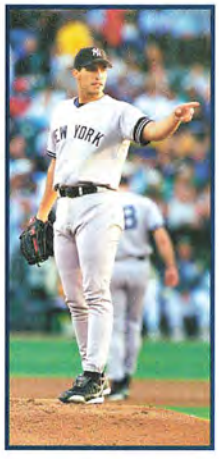
# 2000 YEAR IN REVIEW

*by Glenn Slavin*

REVIEW 2000

**October 2000 will no doubt be remembered for one historic rivalry. No, not Bush versus Gore. New York versus New York. A city divided in a battle for bragging rights. A guaranteed tickertape parade. Only which interlocking "NY" cap would dominate the Canyon of Heroes?**



Who could forget the city's excitement when the Bronx Bombers took the ALCS? The Yankees' third straight trip to the Fall Classic would pit them against intra-urban rivals, the New York Mets. For weeks, the Big Apple had been consumed with Subway Series fever. Everywhere you looked—buses, cabs, storefronts, and, of course, the subway—were signs urging New Yorkers to choose a side. The 4-train or the 7-train? The Bronx or Queens? Blue-and-white or blue-and-orange?

You couldn't walk down the street without hearing an opinion.

In the end, familiar faces marched up Broadway. The Yankees defeated the Mets in five games, silencing half of the city, and more importantly, silencing the skeptics that doubted the mettle of this Yankee squad. The win made it four in five years for the Yanks, and the first time a team won three in a row since the Oakland Athletics did it from 1972 to 1974.

This Yankee team became one for the ages—a modern-day baseball dynasty. "This has to be one of the greatest teams of all time," said manager Joe Torre.

But this year, getting there wasn't easy.

The season opened with familiar names on the roster: Jeter, Williams, Martinez, Knoblauch, Brosius, Posada, O'Neill, Rivera, Pettitte, Clemens, Cone, Hernandez. But for

the first three months, it quickly became apparent this was not the same lineup that won 125 games in '98 and posted the best record in the American League in '99. Through June, the Yanks' offense only ranked 10th in the league in runs.

And another very serious problem was emerging: David Cone, one of the most reliable veteran arms in the bullpen, couldn't get it going. His record stood at 1-7 with a 5.40 ERA in his first 16 starts.

The Yanks were starting to look mortal. A series of setbacks, including minor injuries to Roger Clemens, Orlando Hernandez and Derek Jeter, and a season-ending injury to outfielder Shane Spencer, had the Yankees searching for other answers. At the end of June, New York trailed Toronto by three games and were only two games above .500. "We're fortunate with how much we've struggled to be this close to first place," said Torre. "We have to take advantage of that good fortune."

And that's exactly what they did. The answer to all the Yankees' struggles came in the form of a 6'3" lefty outfielder named David Justice. His arrival in New York on June 29 was just what the doctor ordered. On July 6, the Bombers started a midsummer assault. They overcame a seven-run deficit against the Baltimore Orioles, thanks to Justice's first home run in pinstripes, for a

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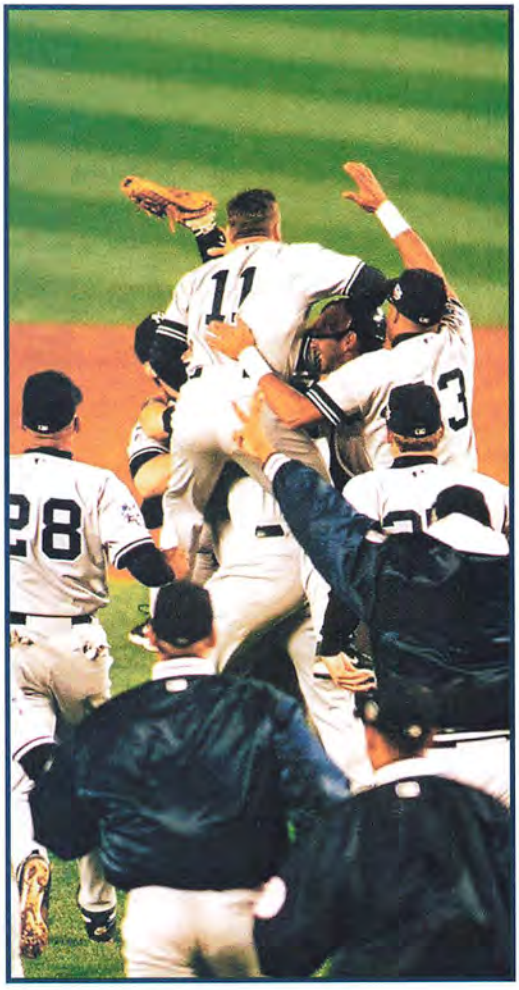
13-9 win that moved them only half a game behind Toronto for first-place in the American League East. (Justice would go on to lead the team with 20 home runs, 60 RBI and a .585 slugging percentage.)

Two days after pounding the O's on July 8, the team was in for a long, strange day. Due to a rainout and a scheduling anomaly, they were to face the Mets in a day-night doubleheader, first at Shea Stadium then at Yankee Stadium. It was the first time since 1903 that two major league teams played two games in one day at two different sites.

The day would help set the stage for the Fall Classic showdown. If the regular hoopla surrounding the matchup weren't enough, throw in Dwight Gooden's triumphant return to Shea. Doc was called up from the minors to start his first game ever as a visitor to the Stadium. He pitched superbly in a 4-2 win.

That night, after team buses rolled over the Triborough Bridge to the Bronx, Roger Clemens took the mound. Mike Piazza came to the plate hitting .585 off the Rocket, including a June grand slam. A high-and-tight offering from Clemens belted Piazza on the helmet and knocked the Met slugger to the ground. Controversy ensued, but the important fact is that the Yanks again won 4-2. Bench coach Don



Zimmer had this to say of the happenings: "There's no doubt he was trying to pitch him tight. There's also no doubt that no one felt worse about it than Roger Clemens."

Still, the incident seemed to stir a spirit in Clemens, because afterward he went 7-2 with a 3.15 ERA. Along with Pettitte's 10-5 record in the same stretch, the Yanks now had the best one-two punch in the league. In fact, Pettitte was quietly the most consistent hurler all year. "I've never been one to like a lot attention," he said. "I just want to pitch." And that he did, winning a team-best 19 games.

A Toronto loss on July 15 gave the Bombers sole possession of first place. They would remain atop the

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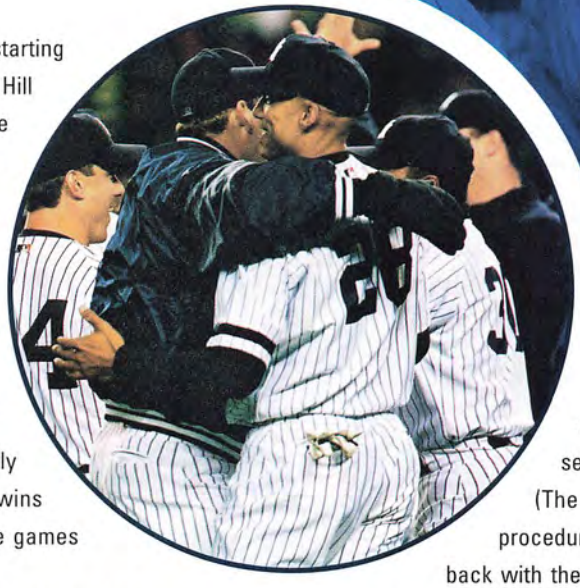
### *—World Series MVP Derek Jeter*

AL East the entire rest of the season.

Brilliant midseason adjustments brought in starting pitcher Denny Neagle, outfielders Glenallen Hill and Luis Polonia, infielders Luis Sojo and Jose Vizcaino plus DH Jose Canseco. Hill was simply a monster at the plate, slamming a total of 16 home runs, 29 RBI and batting .333. His 11 dingers in 55 at-bats earned him AL Player of the Month for August.

"Guys just play better here," shortstop Derek Jeter said. "Every player wants to win, and that's what this team is all about."

The Yanks went a league-best 44-22 from July 1 to Sept. 10, highlighted by three straight wins over Boston at Fenway, driving the Sox nine games out of first place.



But by mid-September, disaster struck. The absence of pitching coach Mel Stottlemyre, who left the team after being diagnosed with cancer, seemed to ignite an eerie downslide. (The required stem-cell transplant procedure was a success, and Mel is now back with the team.) The Yanks fell into a wicked slump, going 5-16 from Sept. 11 to the end of the regular season. But their lead was significant enough to keep them in first, making the playoffs with the lowest amount of wins (87) of any team in a non-strike year.

"A lot of people were trying to say that our run was over," Jeter said. "But you're not going to beat us that easily. We're still the champs until someone beats us."

Outfielder Paul O'Neill agreed. "It's about pride and will. We've got something good going, and we don't want to give it away."

Every postseason presents a different set of challenges, and this year it was Oakland. The young, scrappy A's team had won 18 of their last 22, winning the American League West and securing home-field advantage.

REVIEW 2000

The A's were a formidable opponent, sending the Division Series back to Oakland for a do-or-die Game Five. The Yanks were victorious, and won the series 3-2. Meanwhile, the Mets continued winning, sending shivers of anticipation up and down New Yorkers' spines.

Next up was Seattle in the American League Championship Series. After the Mariners took Game One and jumped ahead 1-0 into the eighth inning of Game Two, the Yanks once again had to dig deep to find their winning form. They did, and it was Justice leading the attack. His double sparked a seven-run rally and the Yanks won the game 7-1. Led by fantastic pitching by Clemens and El Duque (winning his eighth straight postseason game), the Bombers beat Seattle in the ALCS 4-2 and earned their third straight trip to the World Series.

Only the National League champion New York Mets still stood in the way of a three-peat.

"I have a feeling the city is not going to be the same for the next 10 days, and maybe after that," Torre said of the Subway Series. "It's split a few families up, I think."

The Series marked the first time New York experienced a Subway Series since 1956, when Yankee legend Don Larsen pitched a perfect game.

Though a perfect game was a lot to ask of Game 1 starter Andy Pettitte, his performance was nothing short of brilliant. In the longest World Series game ever played, Pettitte utilized his pickoff move (the best in the game), to nail Piazza at first and keep the Mets at bay. But it was Torre's on-the-money hunch to start Jose Vizcaino, who was 10-19 lifetime against Mets starter Al Leiter, that ultimately proved pivotal. Vizcaino's line drive up the middle in the bottom of the 12th scored the go-ahead run.

"It seems like we have a group of 25 MVPs," Jeter said.

Clemens took the mound in Game 2-and emotions ran high. The game will most likely be remembered for that mystifying "bat incident" involving Piazza. Be that as it may, Clemens settled down and was overwhelming. The Yanks took a 2-0 Series lead.

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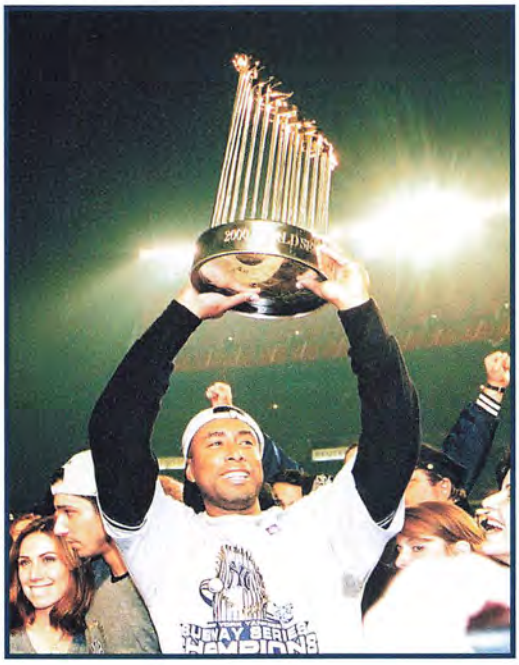
if you want to be picky) and head to Flushing. Though El Duque struck out the first six batters he faced, the Mets took the game behind Rick Reed, breaking the unbelievable Bomber streak of 14-straight World Series wins.

Game 4 was do-or-die for the so-called "Amazin's." Derek Jeter's first-pitch home run provided a lead the Yanks would never relinquish. David Cone was called upon to relieve Denny Neagle to face one batter: the dangerous Mike Piazza. Coney rose to the occasion, popping him up to end the crucial fifth inning, and the Mets' offense was shut down.

Back at Yankee Stadium for Game 5, Pettitte and Leiter battled like warriors deep into the game. If the Mets were going down, they were going down fighting. But Mets' manager Bobby Valentine, having watched the veteran Leiter throw his 141st pitch, left him in one throw too long. Luis Sojo took Leiter up the middle to break a 2-2 tie by scoring Posada and Brosius. It was a lead automatic closer Mariano Rivera would not give up.

A Piazza pop fly fell into Bernie Williams' glove. The Yanks had won their 26th world championship. Three in a row. Four out of five.



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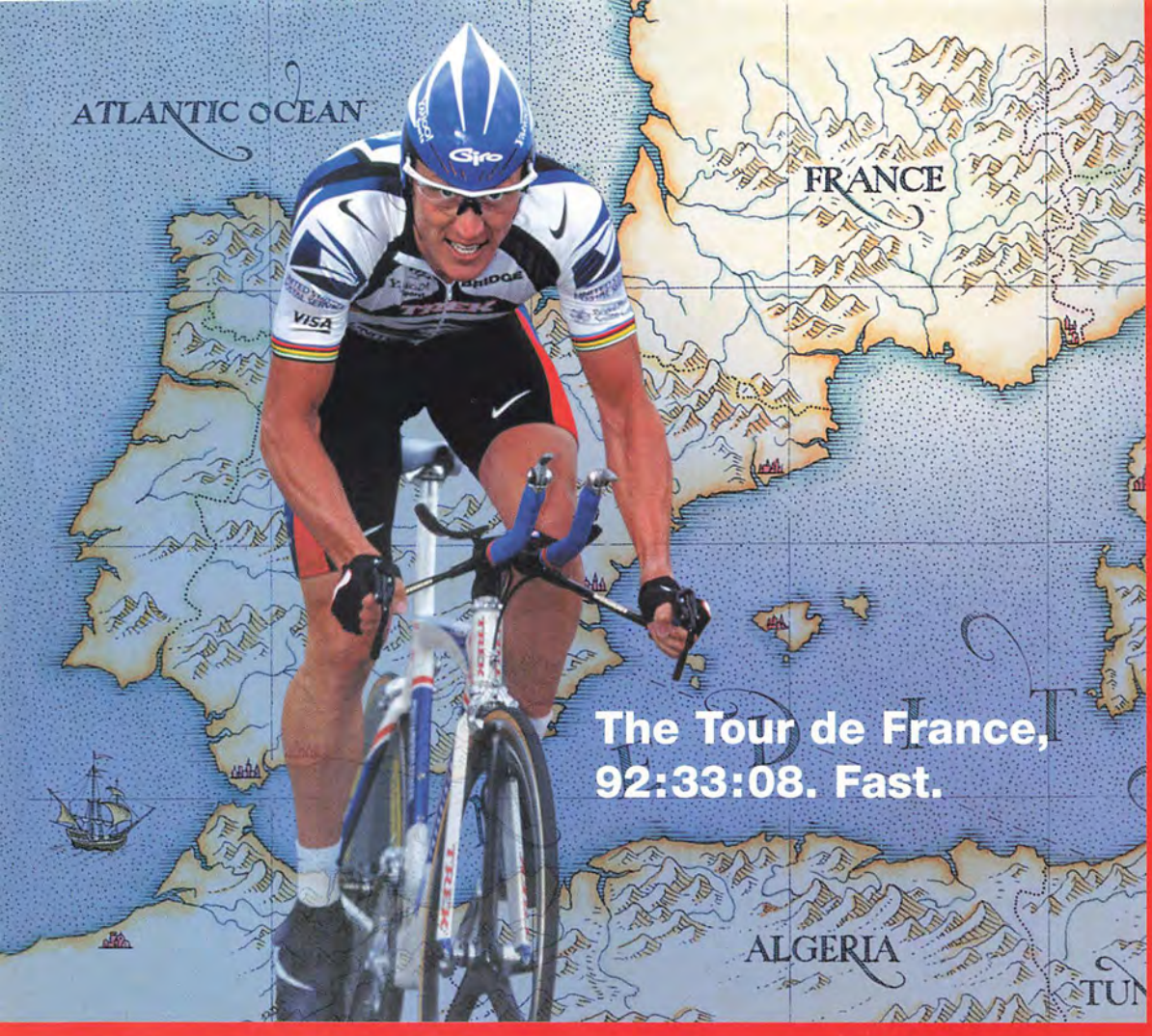


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***—Jeter***

"Every year is a different story, and I'd be lying if I said this one wasn't more gratifying," Jeter, the MVP of the Series said. "We struggled this year, had tough times. We have had our bumps in the road. But we are here, sitting here again at the end of the year. The Mets have the best team I've seen in the five years I have been here. So this one is a little more gratifying."

First baseman Tino Martinez agreed: "The way we closed the season, losing eight in a row, everybody wrote us off. That makes it somewhat sweeter. We have been fortunate. We have won three in a row and this was by far the most difficult."

This Yankee team became one for the storybooks. All the Mets could do, in familiar verbiage of Subway Series' past, was wait 'til next year. The 2000 season belonged to the New York Yankees.

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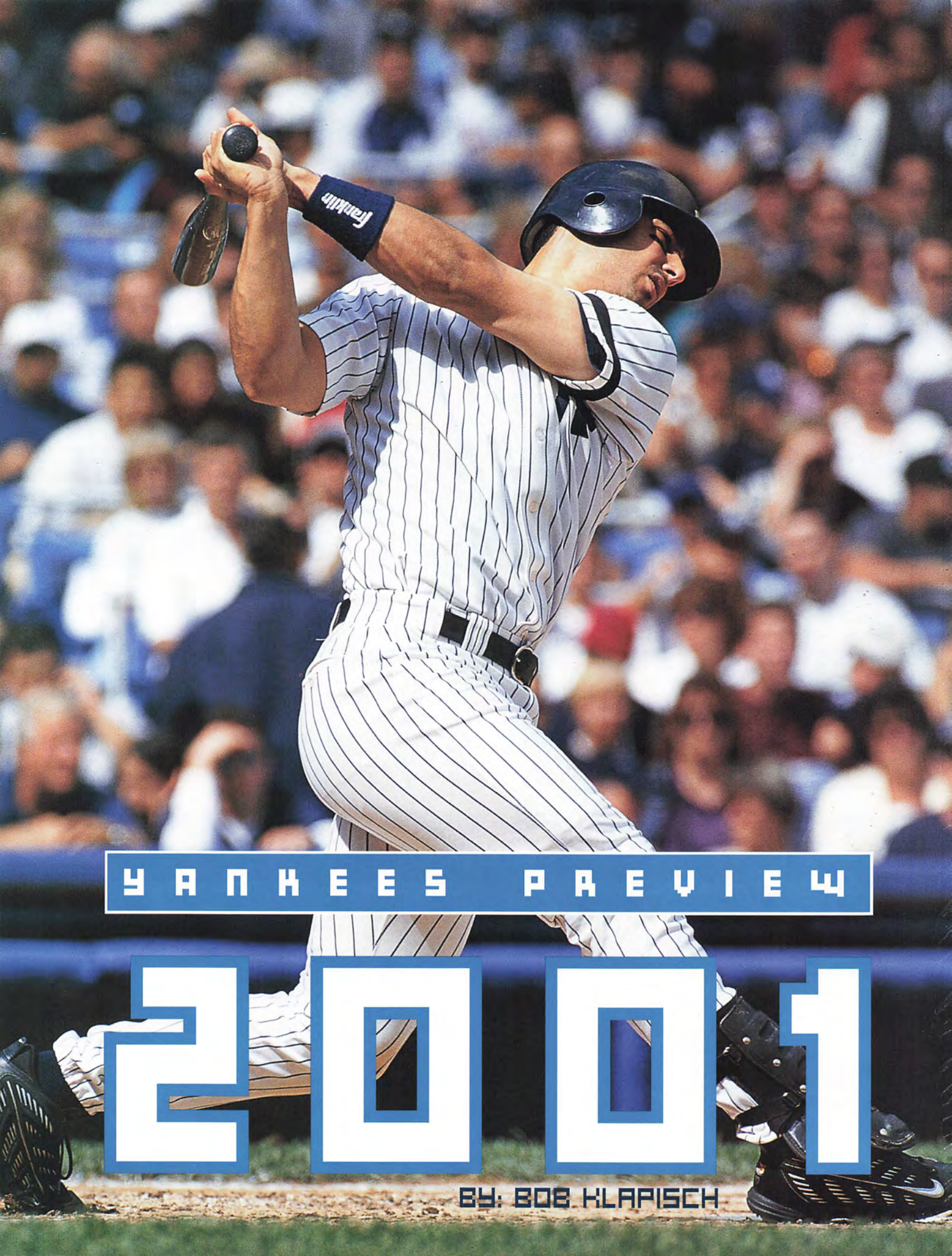



# YANKEES PREVIEW

# 2001

BY: BOB KLAPISCH

**The Bronx summers blur one into the next, it seems, each one tightening the Yankees' hold on the American League's top spot.**

Oakland A's general manager Billy Beane, was smiling, but certainly not kidding, when he once said, "Trying to beat the Yankees is like using bows and arrows against smart bombs."

Repeat after the members of the American League, who ask in unison: Will anyone pierce the Yankees' armor in 2001?...Ever? It's a realistic question, especially with the Bombers signing free agent Mike Mussina. The righthander has averaged more than 16 wins a year since 1992 and now gives the Yankees a nearly indomitable advantage in pitching over the rest of the league.

"It's our experience and our pitching that's going to carry us," said manager Joe Torre, issuing the understatement of the year. It's a tough recipe to match. Here's why the AL—from Boston to Oakland and everywhere in between—has been granted permission to sweat.

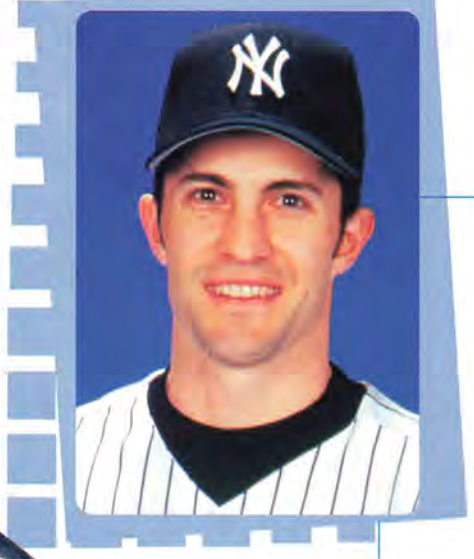
**PITCHING:** On a staff that boasts four potential aces, the Yankees are still leaning on Roger Clemens to act as their leader, if not their enforcer. Torre said of Roger: "[He] is the kind of guy who can set the tone for the other guys; when he's on, he can send a message just with his presence."

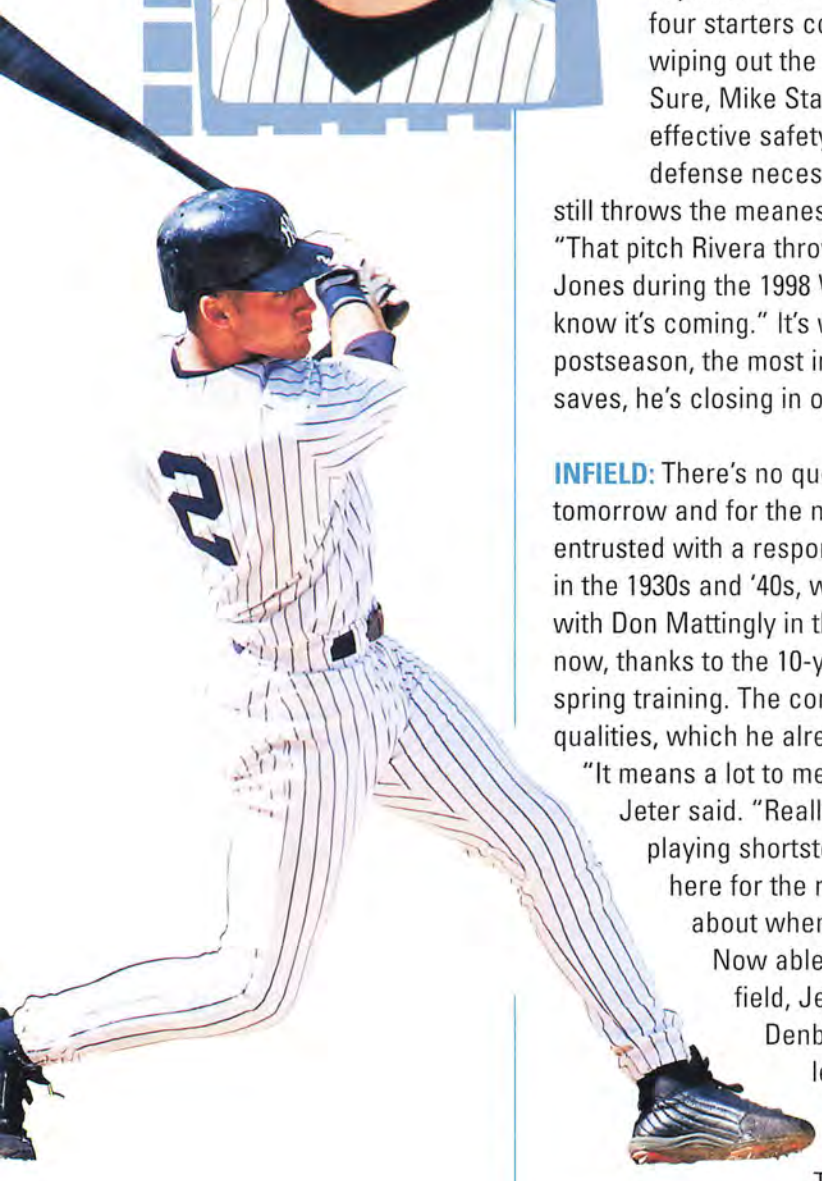
Clemens finally showed the Yankees in 2000 why he's a five-time Cy Young Award winner. After recovering from a strained groin muscle on July 2, the righthander went 9-2 with a 3.00 ERA in 18 starts. Rocket threw harder and with more confidence than he had in two years. In fact, radar guns routinely clocked Clemens in the 96–98 mph range—an extraordinary feat considering the Rocket's age. But at 38, he shows no sign of losing his fastball.

"I've been very fortunate to still be able to keep throwing like this, but the way I train has a lot to do with it, too," Clemens said. "This is the result of a lot of hard work."

Thanks to Clemens' heat, the other Yanks starters can flourish in their own unique, individual ways. Orlando Hernandez is 8-1 in the postseason since 1998, largely because of his gift of multiple arm angles (and, of course, that stunning leg kick). Andy Pettitte's 88 victories since 1996 represent the most by any American League pitcher, with the exception of Pedro Martinez. Unlike Clemens, Pettitte throws cutters and sinkers that devour righthanded hitters.

As for Mussina...well, his specialty is the knuckle-curve, a pitch so rare that not even he can explain





its properties. The former Orioles righthander said the brutally sharp top-to-bottom break "has a mind of its own." After being presented with the knuckle-curve, it's nearly impossible for hitters to lock in on Mussina's fastball. These four starters compromise a manager's dream, practically wiping out the need for a middle-relief corps.

Sure, Mike Stanton and Ramiro Mendoza create an effective safety net, but there's really just one last line of defense necessary in the bullpen. It's Mariano Rivera, who still throws the meanest 94-mph cut-fastball around.

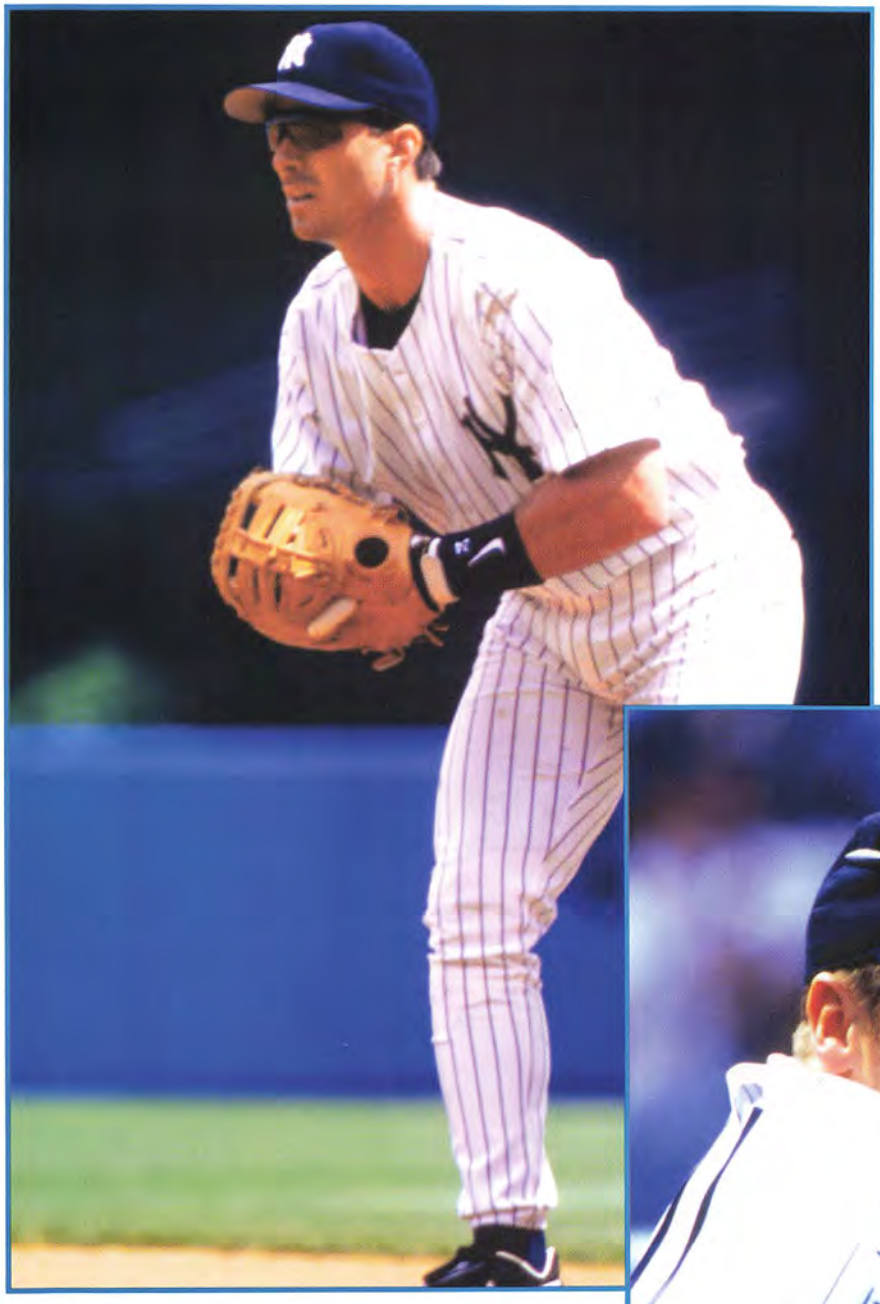
"That pitch Rivera throws is like a buzzsaw," said Atlanta's Chipper Jones during the 1998 World Series. "It just eats you up, even if you know it's coming." It's why Rivera has 19 career saves in the postseason, the most in major league history. With 165 career saves, he's closing in on Dave Righetti's franchise mark of 224.

**INFIELD:** There's no question to whom the team belongs, today, tomorrow and for the next decade. Shortstop Derek Jeter has been entrusted with a responsibility that once rested with Joe DiMaggio in the 1930s and '40s, with Mickey Mantle in the '50s and '60s and with Don Mattingly in the '80s and early-'90s. This is Jeter's team now, thanks to the 10-year deal he signed just before the start of spring training. The contract speaks volumes to Jeter's leadership qualities, which he already recognizes.

"It means a lot to me, and it's a responsibility I look forward to," Jeter said. "Really, I know it sounds like a cliché, but to be playing shortstop for the Yankees, knowing I'm going to be here for the rest of my career, it's something I dreamed about when I was a kid."

Now able to concentrate strictly on matters on the field, Jeter will lean on new hitting instructor Gary Denbo to boost his power numbers to their 1999 levels, as will third baseman Scott Brosius.

The biggest turnaround, however, might come from first baseman Tino Martinez. Tino arrived in camp 10 pounds lighter, thanks to a fanatical offseason exercise program that changed his swing,



A "LOOSER AND QUICKER" TINO MARTINEZ (ABOVE) ANCHORS A VETERAN INFIELD. CHUCK KNOBLAUCH JUST WANTS HIS THROWS TO GO STRAIGHT.

not to mention his physique.

"Over the winter, I saw a tape of myself from one of last year's games," Martinez said, "and I couldn't believe how big and bulky I looked and how stiff my swing was. I'd gotten caught up in hitting home runs, getting strong, getting big. But that ended up hurting my game." Martinez backed away from lifting weights, and instead concentrated on cardiovascular training, stretching and flexibility. As a result, he said he felt "looser and quicker at the plate." He went on to say: "I felt comfortable in my uniform again. I think it's going to make a difference."

So much different that Martinez is hoping he can clone his 1997 numbers, when he hit a career-high 44 home runs and 141 RBI. With free agency beckoning after the 2001 season, Martinez knows a good summer is the key to remaining in the Bronx for the remainder of his career. Chuck Knoblauch has some shorter-term goals in the coming month: steadying his defense and making every throw crisp and routine.

Knoblauch came to camp a full two weeks ahead of his teammates, fielding hundreds of ground balls per day and each one designed to bolster the second baseman's self-confidence. "There's going to be a time when I'm past all

this," Knoblauch said of last year's throwing errors. "I'm getting closer and closer. It's already night-and-day compared to how I was throwing last year."

While Knoblauch works inside his own laboratory, Jorge Posada is quietly building a reputation as a can't-live-without commodity for the Yankee offense. With 28 home runs in 2000, the catcher gave the Bombers a good look at their own future behind the plate. "This is what I'm capable of if I get 500 at-bats a year," Posada said. "I know I can hit 25 or 30 home runs. That was no mistake, what I did. I can look back and say, 'that was a good year,' and know it was the truth."

**Williams (R) finished 2000 with career highs in home runs and RBI**

**OUTFIELD:** In the word of one baseball executive, Bernie Williams is "like a smooth-running, high-priced luxury car." Not a gaudy muscle-car, roaring off from a red light. And he's sure not some economy model, either. He's just reliable.

Williams finished 2000 with career highs in home runs (30) and RBI (121)—and very possibly feeding off the stunning contribution David Justice made after being acquired from the Indians last July. In just 78 games with the Yankees, Justice hit 20 home runs and knocked in 60 RBI. He ended the year with a total of 41 homers and 118 RBI. Not bad for a player already past his 34th birthday. The Yankees found themselves even more reliant than ever on Justice this spring, especially when Shane Spencer discovered his surgically-repaired right knee was still wobbly and that Paul O'Neill was saying, no matter what, that he'd be retiring after 2001. At least that's what O'Neill promised before he came to camp. But Paulie demonstrated there's still a hunger for success, not to mention home runs, RBI and another championship ring: "Let's get past this year and see what happens," O'Neill said, when asked about his future. For now, he's hoping to keep alive a streak

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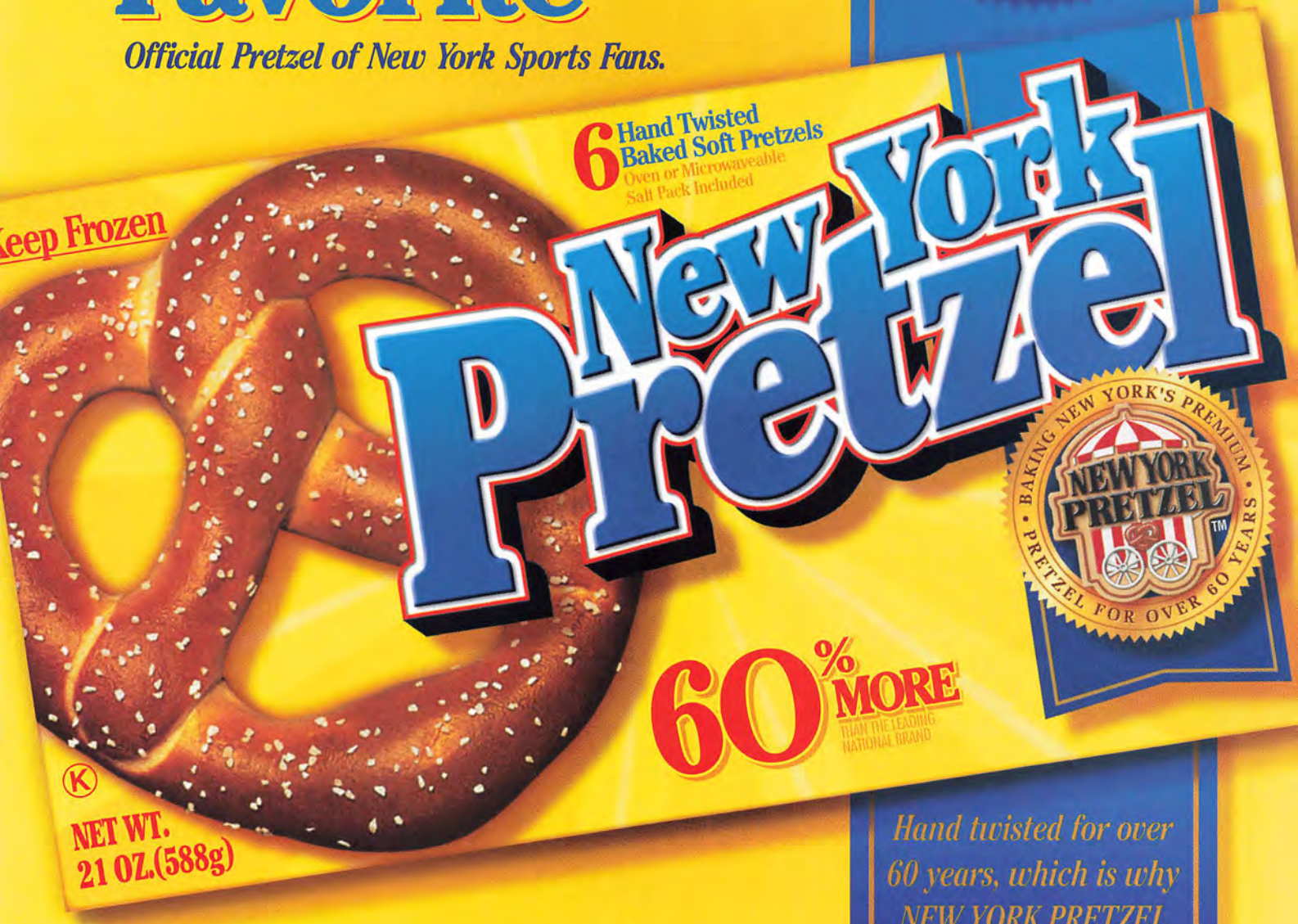


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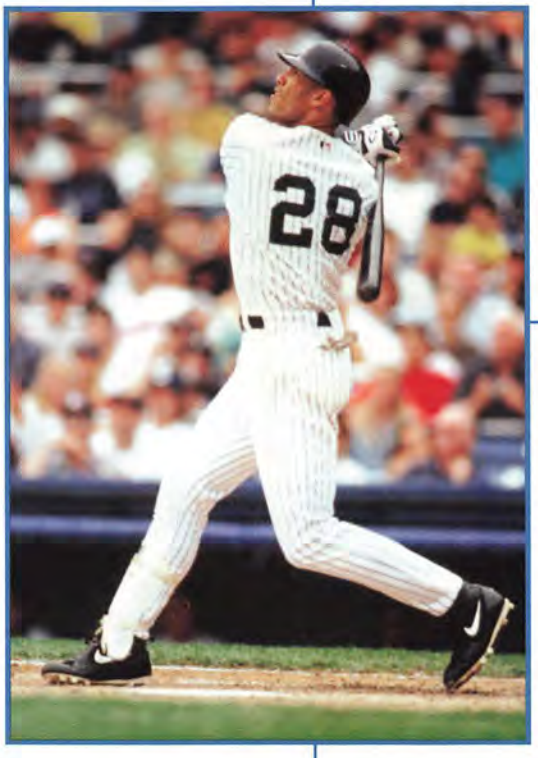
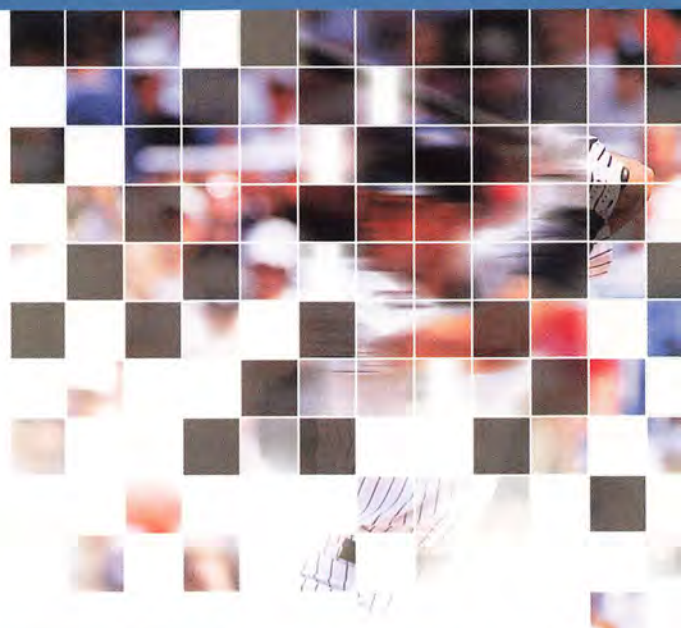
of four straight 100-plus RBI seasons. In Yankee history, only Babe Ruth, Joe DiMaggio and Dave Winfield have accomplished that feat. Still, the highlight of O'Neill's year took place in the Subway Series, where he batted .474 against the Mets—cementing Yankee owner George Steinbrenner's claim that his rightfielder "has the heart of a lion."



**UTILITY PLAYERS:** What better résumé could there be for a bench player than this: remain dormant for seven innings, not complain, not lose focus, then calmly smoke a pinch-hit home run? That's Glenallen Hill's job description. Hill will fit in as the DH or in left field, or else he'll simply come off the bench and thunder the American League—as he did late last summer. After being acquired from the Chicago Cubs on July 21, Hill batted .333 with 16 home runs and 29 RBI in just 40 games. Hill's offensive talents will be complemented by Luis Sojo's soft hands, the perfect insurance policy to any infield deficit or slump. Able to play third base, shortstop and second base—and yes, even first base—Sojo makes it possible for Joe Torre to rest any of his infielders. But even more significantly, the unlikely hero of the 2000 World Series would ease a crisis in the event of an injury.



## SHORT TENURE, LONG RESULTS

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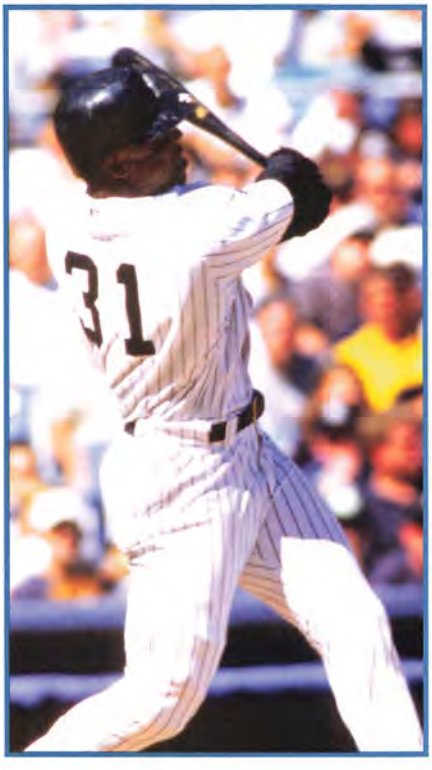

Similarly, the Yankees signed free-agent catcher Joe Oliver not because they plan on using Jorge Posada any less, but as Torre said, "We know we cut it pretty close last year. We didn't give [Posada] any help back there, and we really didn't have a backup plan in case he got hurt."

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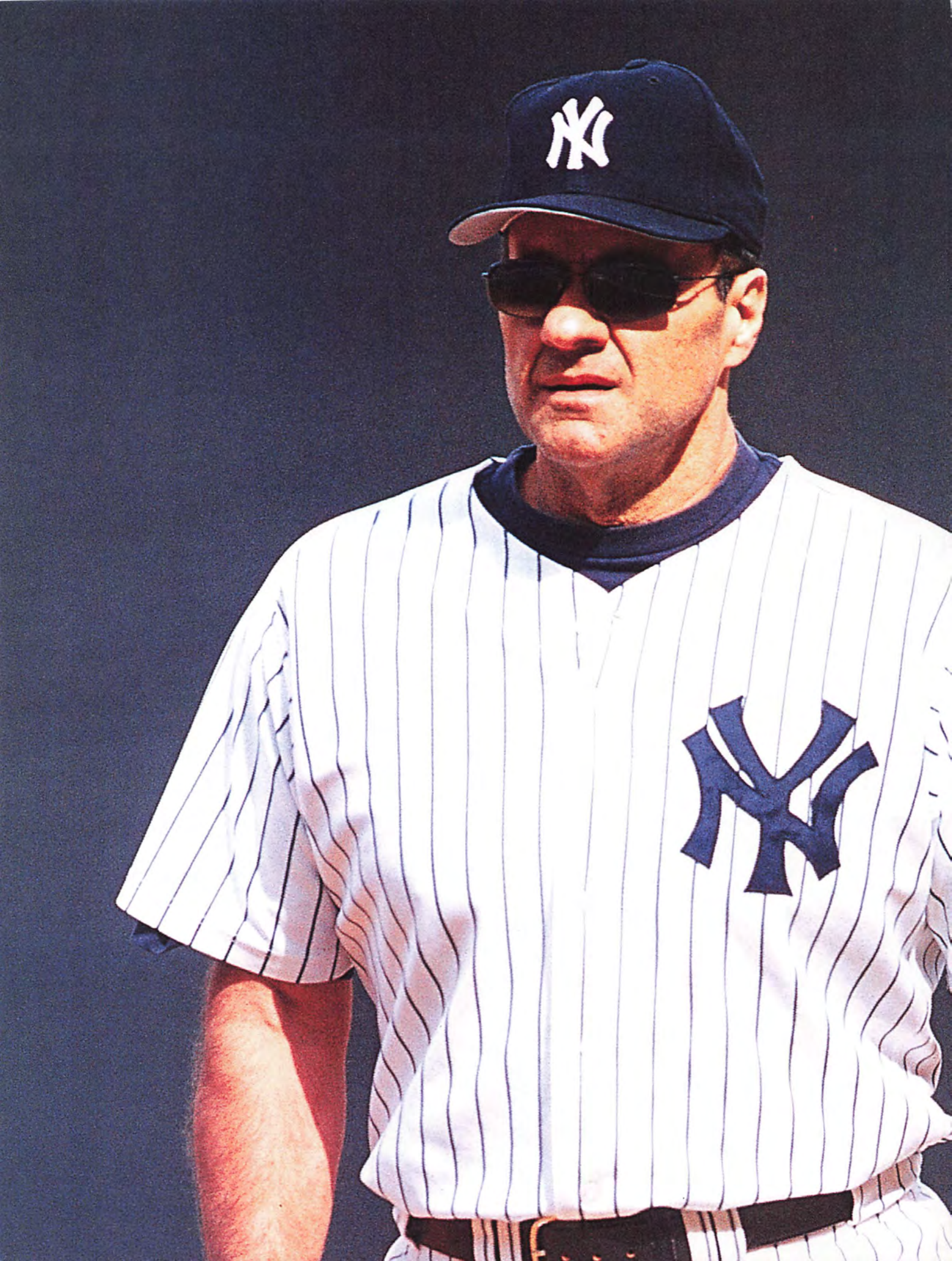


## JOE TORRE
## MANAGER #6

They say winning isn't easy. You'd never know it from looking at Joe Torre's record as Yankees manager.

In a remarkable run at the helm of the winningest franchise in all of sports, Torre has guided the Bombers to four World Series championships in five seasons. No longer a stranger to the Fall Classic, Torre is faced with the challenge of keeping his squad inspired to work hard for success that now seems to go hand-in-hand with the Yankee name. And now that the Brooklyn native has faced down the crosstown rival New York Mets, it seems there isn't anything he can't do.

Don't let the success fool you, though. Torre's years as the pinstriped skipper have not been easy. From his own battle with prostate cancer during the 1999 season to pitching coach Mel Stottlemyre's battle with blood cancer last year, Torre has had to keep his team strong through a seemingly endless string of personal battles and tragedies played out in the headlines. And on the field, it's never easy being the team everyone else is gunning for year after year.

Torre started his major league career as a catcher for the Milwaukee and Atlanta Braves during the 1960s. A six-time All-Star, Torre was a Gold Glove winner as a backstop in 1965. He was named the National League MVP in 1971—when, as a third baseman, he led the league with a .363 batting average, 230 hits and 137 RBI. Torre finished his playing days with a .297 career average after stints with the Braves, the St. Louis Cardinals and the Mets. Although World Series success has been a staple of Torre's years with the Yankees, as a player he never made an appearance in the Fall Classic.

Torre's five years as the Yankees' manager have been nothing short of legendary. With the record-setting 114-win season in 1998, a 44-12 playoff record, a 12-3 World Series record and a 14-game World Series streak that stretched from 1996 through Game 2 of last year's Classic, Torre is leaving his mark as one of the most successful managers in major league history. The skipper is a three-time Manager of the Year, having earned the honor with the Braves in 1982 and with the Yanks in 1996 and '98.

Torre enters the 2001 season with an exciting pitching staff and the core of his championship unit still in tact. His challenge will be to sustain the level of patience, dedication and commitment that has characterized the Bombers' championship run to date. This year's team will be trying to become the first club to win four straight championships since the Yankees' stretch of five from 1949 to '53.

This season, the squad has to hope that the headlines will be more of victories and less of suffering. But with Torre as their leader, the Yankees of recent years have proven they can take whatever the baseball season—and life—throws their way.

## DON ZIMMER
## BENCH COACH #53

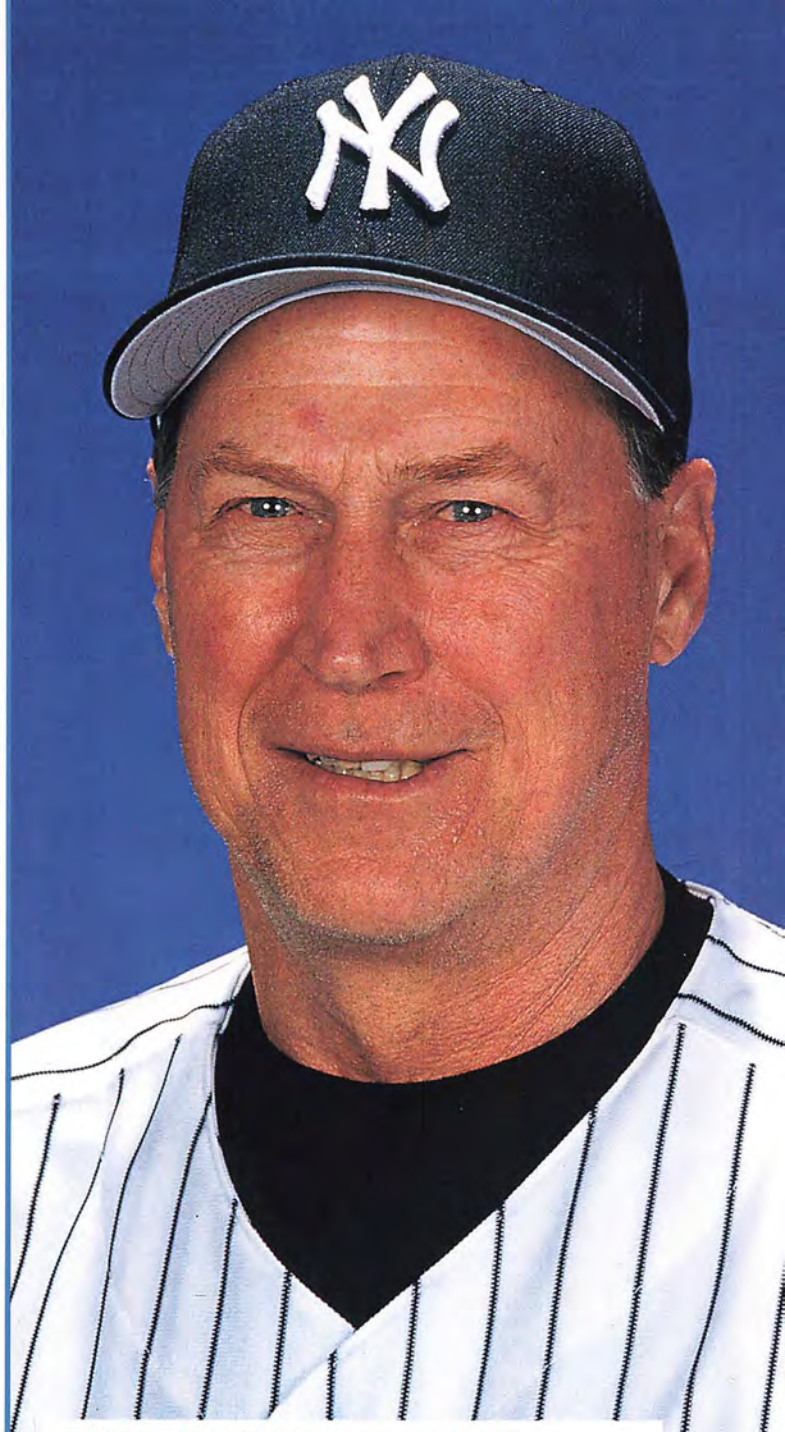
Yankees bench coach Don Zimmer has seen it all. From legendary heroic feats to errant beanings in the head, 53 years in baseball have given Zim countless stories to tell and endless wisdom to bestow. Zimmer has the distinction of being the only participant in all three Yankee perfect games and has played on, coached or managed nine different major league clubs.

Now back for his sixth consecutive year with the Yanks, Zimmer is a trusted advisor for manager Joe Torre. He has also become somewhat of a good-luck charm for Derek Jeter, who rubs the coach's head before each at-bat.

## WILLIE RANDOLPH
### THIRD-BASE COACH #30

Who do the Yankees look to when they want to break for home? Willie Randolph—the Yankee veteran who has been manning the third-base line for the Bombers for eight years. Randolph's passion for and knowledge of the game have been an integral part of Joe Torre's four championship teams.

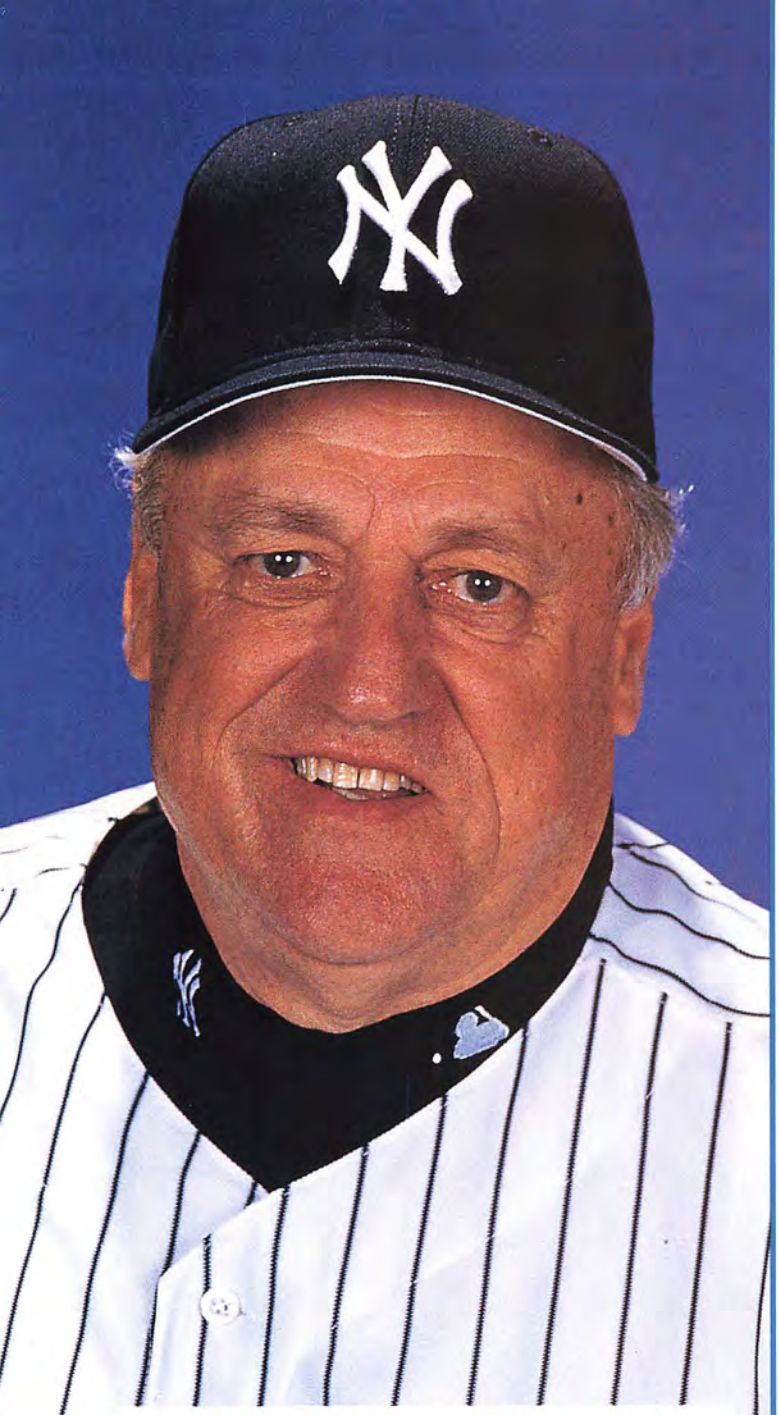
A former captain for the storied franchise, Randolph was a member of two Yankee world championships and four American League title-winners. In his 13 years as a player for the Yanks, Randolph made six All-Star appearances and played 1,688 games at second base, more than any other Pinstriper in club history.



## MEL STOTTLEMYRE
### PITCHING COACH #34

Mel Stottlemyre's presence in the Yankee clubhouse this season means more to the team than having a trusted pitching coach on staff. Stottlemyre's announcement last season that he was suffering from multiple myeloma, a blood cancer, shook the Yanks players who have become all-too familiar with handling devastating situations.

After missing several games and all of the playoffs while fighting the disease last season, Stottlemyre made the decision to return to the Yankees to prove there is life after cancer. With an exciting pitching staff in place for the 2001 season, the Yankees hope to give Stottlemyre even more to celebrate in his sixth season as a pinstriped coach.

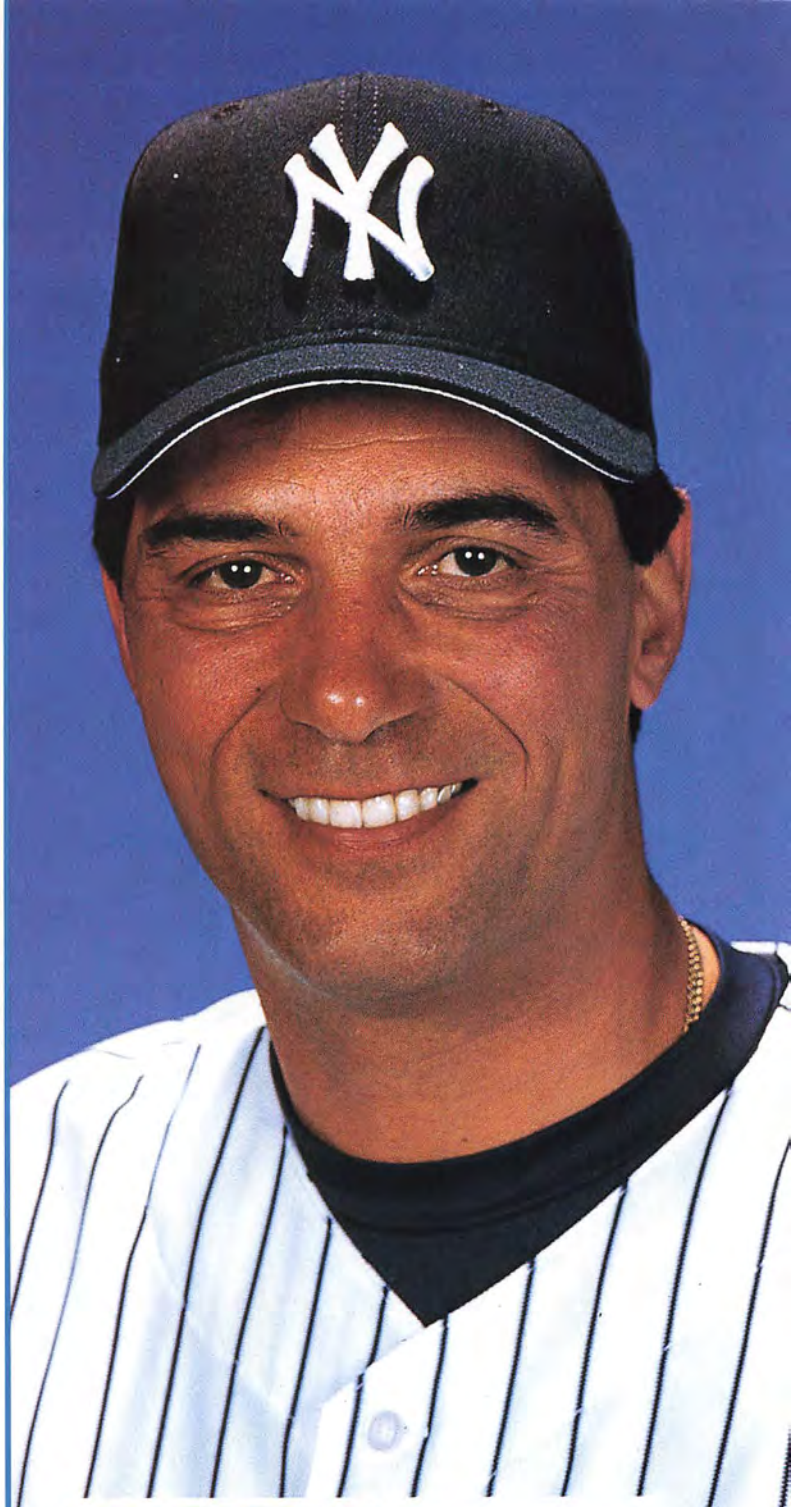


## TONY CLONINGER
### BULLPEN COACH #40

The Yankees have proven pitching wins championships. In that regard, so does Tony Cloninger—who is now in his seventh year as the bullpen coach, 10th overall as a Yankee coach.

Cloninger was a skilled pitcher, winning a career-high 24 games with the Milwaukee Braves in 1965. Cloninger also had a hitting prowess. On July 3, 1966, batting ninth in the order, he hit two grand slams and set a record for major league pitchers with nine RBI.

The Yanks' skilled bullpen has been an integral piece of each championship and was never more crucial than during the 2000 season. With a crop of young guns lined up this season, Cloninger's contribution during 2001 will be more important than ever.



## LEE MAZZILLI
### FIRST-BASE COACH #54

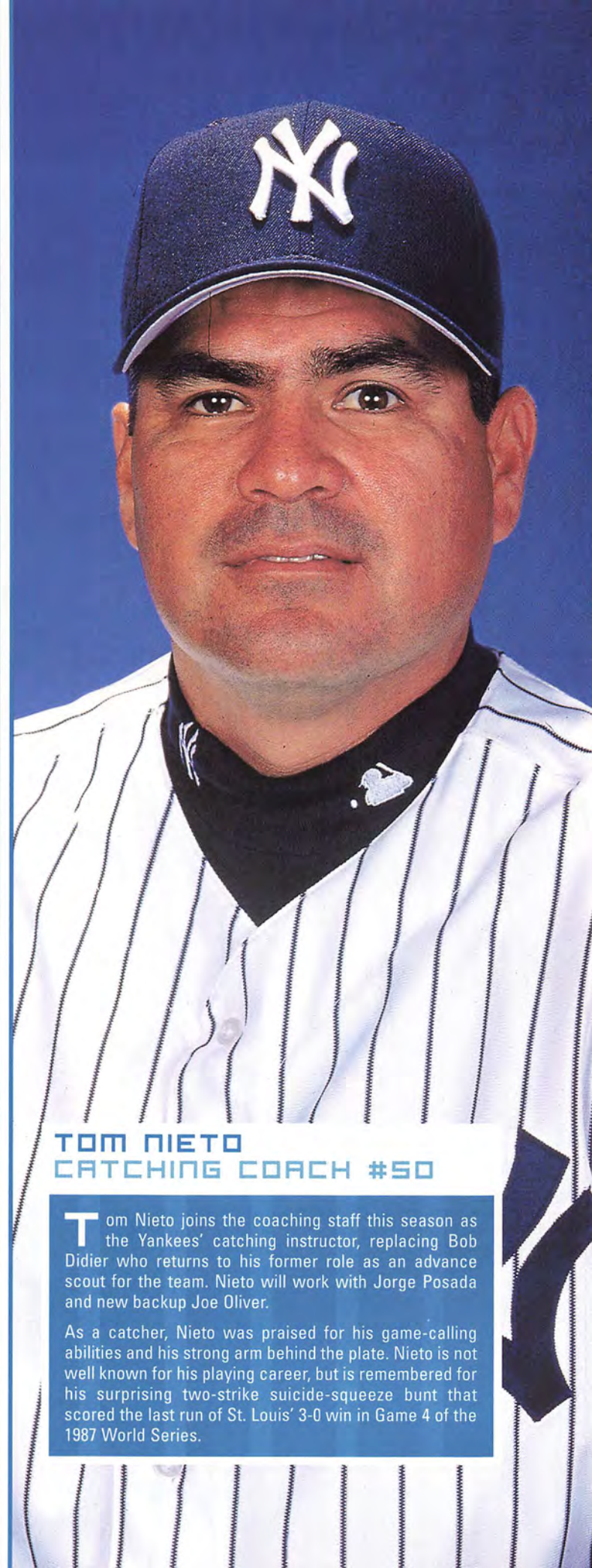
The Yankees made a valuable addition to their coaching staff last year when Lee Mazzilli joined the squad, after three years as a manager in the club's farm system. The 14-year major league veteran is back for his second season as the Bombers first base and outfielders coach.

Mazzilli, who is a Brooklyn native, is more than comfortable being on a New York squad. In his playing days, Mazzilli spent 10 years as a star for the New York Mets, and even spent a season as an outfielder with the Yankees. No stranger to the Big Apple spotlight, Mazzilli pinch-hit a three-run homer in just his second at-bat in the majors.

## GARY DENBO
### BATTING COACH #52

Although he's in his first year as the Bombers batting coach, Gary Denbo knows the organization and its players. In 12 years with the Yankees, Denbo served as the assistant director of player development and as the team's hitting coordinator since 1996. Denbo has worked behind the scenes extensively with players such as Derek Jeter for years.

Denbo is considered to be a skilled batting instructor and has been a big contributor to Jeter's hitting success over the past few years. He is just the second addition Joe Torre has made to the staff since taking over the managerial reins.



## TOM NIETO
### CATCHING COACH #50

Tom Nieto joins the coaching staff this season as the Yankees' catching instructor, replacing Bob Didier who returns to his former role as an advance scout for the team. Nieto will work with Jorge Posada and new backup Joe Oliver.

As a catcher, Nieto was praised for his game-calling abilities and his strong arm behind the plate. Nieto is not well known for his playing career, but is remembered for his surprising two-strike suicide-squeeze bunt that scored the last run of St. Louis' 3-0 win in Game 4 of the 1987 World Series.

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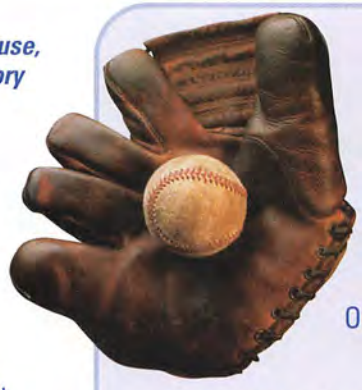

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OCTOBER 15, 1923 First World Series Victory
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## "TOTAL DOMINANCE."

That's how manager Joe Torre described Roger Clemens' performance in Game 4 of last year's ALCS against Seattle, when the Rocket took a no-hitter into the seventh inning and finished with a 15-strikeout one-hitter. Torre compared it to Don Larsen's perfect game in the 1956 World Series and Bob Gibson's three World Series wins in 1967 (three runs in 27 innings).

"Total dominance" could also describe Clemens' performance in the second half of the regular season, when he reeled off a nine-game winning streak and was named American League Pitcher of the Month for July (5-0, 1.91 ERA, 34 K in 42⅓ innings). After finishing the regular season with a record of 13-8 with a 3.70 ERA, Clemens finished his postseason with a 6-5 win over the Mets in Game 2 of the Subway Series, pitching eight shutout innings on two hits and nine strikeouts. Quite an exclamation point to a memorable year for the future Hall of Famer.

Clemens came to the Yankees before the 1999 season with an already impressive résumé: a record five Cy Young awards, an AL MVP award, seven All-Star selections, and (of course) 3,253 strikeouts. But the Rocket's bio still had something missing: a World Series ring. After coming within one out with the Red Sox in 1986, Clemens, now earned two in his first two seasons in New York.

Heading into the 2001 season, his 3,504 strikeouts rank him eighth on the all-time list. In addition, his 260 wins tie him for 34th place. The more Clemens moves up on those prestigious lists, the more of a chance he'll have to win his third World Series ring.

## ROGER CLEMENS · PITCHER #22

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
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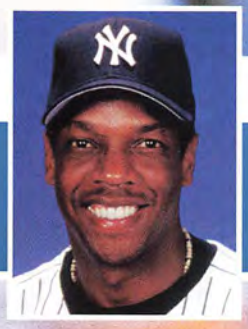
| 2000 | 13-8 | 3.70 | 32 | 32 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 204⅓ | 184 | 96 | 84 | 84 | 188 |
| CAREER | 260-142 | 3.07 | 512 | 511 | 116 | 45 | 0 | 3666⅔ | 3101 | 1385 | 1252 | 1186 | 3504 |

Talk about rebirth. Many people counted Dwight Gooden out last year before the Yankees signed him to a minor league contract, but the veteran pitcher showed everyone what he's still got with a 6-5 record and 4.71 ERA in 27 appearances. One highlight of Doc's 2000 Yankee stint came on July 8 when he earned a 4-2 victory in his first-ever appearance against his former team, the New York Mets.

Gooden enjoyed a strong resurgence in his second stint with the Yanks, converting two of two save opportunities and becoming a strong asset for Joe Torre as both a spot-starter and a middle reliever. Gooden will serve the same role for the squad this season. He is expected to fight for the No. 5 spot, but proved his potential value as a reliever last year.

The Yankees are happy to see Gooden, a former New York Press Photographers Association Good Guy Award-winner and Baseball Writers Association of America Toast of the Town-winner, back on the team. Gooden is hoping to make an even greater contribution to the Pinstripers this year, and no doubt fans will be rooting for the same.



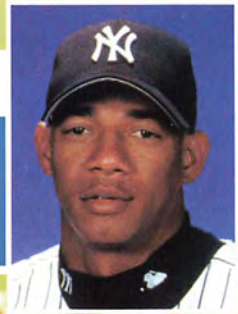
## DWIGHT GOODEN · PITCHER #17

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 4-2 | 3.36 | 18 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 64⅓ | 66 | 28 | 24 | 21 | 31 |
| CAREER | 194-112 | 3.51 | 430 | 410 | 68 | 4 | 3 | 2800⅔ | 2564 | 1198 | 1091 | 954 | 2293 |

With all the hype surrounding Adrian "El Duquecito" Hernandez, can the young righthander live up to everyone's expectations? That's one of the big questions facing the Yankees this year. Hernandez was one of the young pitchers fighting for the fifth spot in this year's rotation, but some think he will serve the Yanks better coming out of the bullpen. Although Adrian is not a relation of Orlando Hernandez, he has been nicknamed "El Duquecito" because of an unorthodox wind-up, which mimics that of El Duque. Duquecito is known for catching hitters off balance with his various arm angles, speeds and breaking pitches.

The Yankees seem to have gotten quite a steal in the young Hernandez, who was overlooked by many other team scouts. The Bombers had an advantage in scouting him, as the elder Duque was able to provide insight on his fellow countryman. Once in the Yankee farm system, El Duquecito sped up the ladder. While with Triple-A Columbus, he recorded an 8-3 record and a 3.28 ERA.

The Yanks are looking forward to seeing what this exciting pitcher can do for them in 2001, and the addition of El Duquecito will no doubt entertain fans and strike fear in opponents.



## ADRIAN HERNANDEZ · PITCHER #65

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| MINOR LEAGUES | 8-2 | 3.95 | 12 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 73 | 81 | 36 | 32 | 37 | 86 |

If Orlando Hernandez isn't a sure thing in the postseason, he's as close as you can get. The 2000 season once again displayed El Duque's October dominance and confirmed his status as one of baseball's best money pitchers.

Over the past three autumns, Hernandez became the first pitcher in major league history to win his first eight postseason starts, including Game 3 of last year's Division Series and Games 2 and 6 of the ALCS. His first loss didn't come until Game 3 of the Subway Series, leaving his playoff and World Series record at a remarkable 8-1 with a 2.21 ERA.

The ability to pitch in big games is something Hernandez has shown from his earliest days as a Bronx Bomber. The most critical of his postseason starts was his first, which came less than a year after his dramatic defection from Cuba. With the Yanks down two games to one in the '98 ALCS against Cleveland, El Duque pitched seven shutout innings, giving up just three hits, two walks, and striking out six in a pivotal 4-0 win.

In three seasons with the Yanks, Hernandez has gone 41-26 with a 4.00 ERA and 429 strikeouts in 551 innings. He expects to improve on last season's numbers (12-13, 4.51 ERA), which were affected by an elbow injury that led to a stint on the DL.

If anything can be credited to El Duque's poise on the mound, it's his amazing experience escaping from Cuba on a raft. The star pitcher for the Cuban national team signed with the Yankees before the '98 season.

With their sights set on a four-peat, the Yankees are hoping El Duque will get another chance to perform his October magic once again.

## ORLANDO HERNANDEZ · PITCHER #26

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 12-13 | 4.51 | 29 | 29 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 195⅓ | 186 | 104 | 98 | 51 | 141 |
| CAREER | 41-26 | 4.00 | 83 | 83 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 551 | 486 | 265 | 245 | 190 | 429 |

One thing is certain, the Yankees know pitching. The Pinstripers are entering the 2001 season with an even stronger pitching staff than last year, and have plenty of talent hoping to join the winning staff. Randy Keisler is one of the exciting young pitchers who will fight for a spot this year.

The 25-year-old southpaw wowed 'em in the minors in 2000. In 28 starts with the Double-A Norwich Navigators and the Triple-A Columbus Clippers, Keisler won 14 games, earning 156 strikeouts in 186 innings. Keisler did earn a call-up to the majors last season, making appearances in four games in September. Although Keisler had one start with the Yanks, he suffered through most of his big-league innings.

Heading into 2001 Spring Training, the Yankees pegged Keisler as one of a crop of pitchers in line for the hotly contested fifth spot in the rotation. Although earning the No. 5 spot will be difficult, keeping it will be even harder. So Joe Torre & Co. will be looking to see some of the minors magic Keisler has exhibited since coming out of LSU in 1998.

## RANDY KEISLER · PITCHER #62

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 1-0 | 11.81 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10⅓ | 16 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 6 |
| CAREER | 1-0 | 11.81 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10⅓ | 16 | 14 | 14 | 8 | 6 |

Ramiro Mendoza has established himself as one of the most versatile pitchers in baseball.

Over the past five seasons, Mendoza has been an integral part of the Yankee pitching staff, mainly as a middle reliever and righty set-up man. During that span, he's the only pitcher in the majors to have at least one win as both a starter and a reliever. And what Yankee fan can forget his relief outing against the Red Sox that earned a save in the clinching game of the 1999 ALCS?

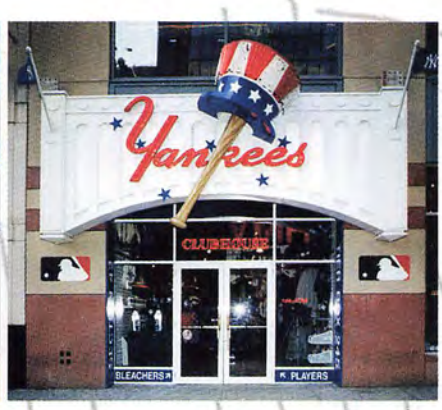
Last year, Mendoza proved he's still capable of being effective in the rotation, starting in nine of his 14 appearances, the first time he started at least 50 percent of his games since he rookie year of 1996 (11 out of 12). In those nine starts, Mendoza went 5-3 with a 4.05 ERA (48 hits, 21 strikeouts, and 13 walks in 53⅓ innings). His two most successful starts were his first on April 15, when he retired the first 19 Royals he faced (one run on two hits in 6⅔ innings), and on May 25 where he hurled his second career shutout, giving up only four hits against the White Sox.

On May 25, he was placed on the DL for the first time in his career with weakness in the posterior muscle of his right shoulder. He underwent arthroscopic surgery on Sept. 21 to repair a small tear of the labrum in his right shoulder.

It's fortunate for both the Yankees and Mendoza that his surgery was successful, because whether out of the bullpen, rotation, or both, his versatile and valuable shoulder will be heavily counted upon again this season.

## RAMIRO MENDOZA · PITCHER #55

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 7-4 | 4.25 | 14 | 9 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 65⅔ | 66 | 32 | 31 | 20 | 30 |
| CAREER | 38-26 | 4.27 | 159 | 55 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 506⅓ | 575 | 260 | 240 | 115 | 282 |

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As if the Yankees' starting rotation wasn't imposing enough, the addition of Mike Mussina just might make it the best in baseball.

The Bombers signed the 32-year-old free agent in the off-season, giving them another bonafide ace.

In 10 seasons with Baltimore, Mussina was recognized as one of the game's elite hurlers. Despite a 11-15 record last season, "Moose" still posted a 3.79 ERA, third-best in the league.

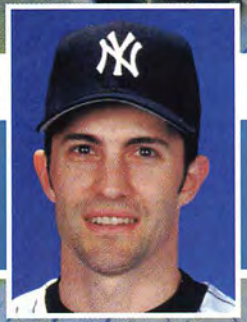
The righthander's consistent numbers have put him in the running for the Cy Young Award almost every season. His highest finish was second in '99 (18-7, 3.50 ERA), when he was beaten out by Boston's Pedro Martinez.

Defense has been another constant for Mussina. He won four straight Gold Glove Awards between '96 and '99, not committing a single error from '96 to '98. More significantly, he's been a workhorse, leading the league with 237⅓ innings pitched last season, his sixth straight year of 200-innings-plus.

He ranks fifth on the all-time winning percentage list for right-handed pitchers (minimum of 200 decisions) with a .645 mark (147-81). That same winning percentage has landed him in a tie for fourth among active pitchers (minimum 100 decisions) with another new teammate, Andy Pettitte (100-55).

Another key factor making Mussina ace-worthy is his ability to pitch in big games. In six career playoff games (three in the Division Series in '96 and '97 and three in the League Championship Series over the same span), Mussina went 2-1 with a 2.53 ERA, giving up only 26 hits and 11 walks in 42⅔ innings while striking out 53. His postseason highlight came during the '97 playoffs. In the Division Series, he outdueled Seattle ace Johnson twice. In Game 3 of the ALCS against Cleveland, he set an LCS record for strikeouts in a game (15) and gave up just one run on four hits and finished with a combined 25 strikeouts in both his starts.

The Yankees have acquired yet another ace and Mussina has a supporting cast that could help get him his first World Series ring. Get those "Moose" calls ready.



## MIKE MUSSINA · PITCHER #35

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 11-15 | 3.79 | 34 | 34 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 237⅓ | 236 | 105 | 100 | 46 | 210 |
| CAREER | 147-81 | 3.53 | 288 | 288 | 45 | 15 | 0 | 2009⅔ | 1895 | 836 | 789 | 467 | 1535 |

No one has ever accused Andy Pettitte of not working hard. So when his childhood hero and fellow Texan, Roger Clemens, known for having one of the strictest work ethics in baseball, took Pettitte under his wing, it's no surprise the dividends paid off big.

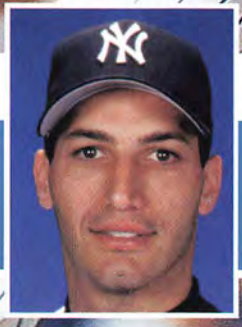
Pettitte's 19 victories in 2000 were just one shy of league leaders David Wells and Tim Hudson. Chances are the 6-5, 225-pound lefty would've recorded his second career 20-win season if he didn't spend more than two weeks in April on the DL with a muscle strain in his back. Still, he bounced back from the injury to reel off a career-high seven-game winning streak from July 25-Aug. 24.

Last season also saw Pettitte reach other career milestones. He became the 15th Yankee to notch 100 career wins and the first since Ron Guidry did it back in 1982. Over the past five seasons, Pettitte's 88 wins rank third in the majors, just two behind Pedro Martinez and Greg Maddux.

For the second time in three years, Pettitte produced a solid starting effort in a World Series-clinching game (7⅓ shutout innings in Game 4 against San Diego in '98; seven innings, two unearned runs in Game 5 against the Mets in 2000).

From the time he joined the Yankees, he's always handled himself with a mature demeanor far beyond his age (28). In his sophomore season in '96, he played a key role in the Yanks' first world championship since 1978, leading the league with 21 wins.

Still, with all his pitching success, the most dominant part of Pettitte's game has been his pick-off move. He led the league in pickoffs in his first three seasons (12 in '95, 11 in '96, and 14 in '97).



## ANDY PETTITTE · PITCHER #46

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 19-9 | 4.35 | 32 | 32 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 204⅔ | 219 | 111 | 99 | 80 | 125 |
| CAREER | 100-55 | 3.99 | 197 | 190 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 1249 | 1306 | 603 | 554 | 456 | 834 |

As dominating as Mariano Rivera has been during recent regular seasons, his postseason heroics have been even more awesome. Historic, too.

In his fourth year as the Yankee closer, Rivera finished with 36 saves, a 7-4 record, 2.85 ERA, and also tied his career high with 66 appearances. By the end of the season, Rivera's 165 career saves ranked him second on the Bombers' all-time list, 59 behind Dave Righetti. In addition, "Mr. Automatic" tied Righetti for the most 30-or-more-save seasons by a Yankee with four.

The 31-year-old Panamanian continued to make history in the postseason, racking up six saves and a 1.72 ERA in 10 appearances. Between Game 5 of the '97 Division Series and Game 2 of the 2000 World Series, Rivera had a scoreless streak of 33⅓ innings, breaking Whitey Ford's record of 33 (all in the World Series). The 2000 playoffs and World Series also saw Rivera move into first place of the all-time postseason save list with 19.

Incredible numbers like those are one of the main reasons the Yankees have won three straight championships. In fact, Rivera was rewarded for his performance in the '99 World Series (1-0, 0.00 ERA, two saves) with the MVP award.

Rivera's dominance started as soon as he began to pitch in the bullpen full-time in '96. That year, as John Wetteland's set-up man, he went 8-3 with a 2.09 ERA and five saves. He became the Yankee closer in '97 and continued putting up mind-boggling numbers—his most impressive coming in '99 (4-3, 1.83 ERA, and a league-leading and career-high 45 saves). He was named to the American League All-Star team in '97, '99, and 2000.

Accomplishments like that make it clear there's only one word to describe Mariano Rivera and the Yankees over the last five years: dominating.

## MARIANO RIVERA · PITCHER #42

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 7-4 | 2.85 | 66 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 75⅓ | 58 | 26 | 24 | 25 | 58 |
| CAREER | 33-17 | 2.63 | 332 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 165 | 452⅓ | 358 | 139 | 132 | 144 | 395 |

After another brilliant postseason performance, Mike Stanton solidified his position as one of the best lefty setup men in the game and earned a place among a long line of Yankees who rise to the occasion in October.

In seven appearances during the playoffs and World Series, Stanton went a combined 3-0 with a 1.10 ERA, including 10 strikeouts in 8⅔ innings. He was exceptionally impressive in the World Series, going 2-0 in four appearances, giving up no runs and no hits with seven strikeouts in 4⅓ innings. His two wins tied the record for wins in a World Series by a reliever, and, to make that stat even more impressive, he's the only reliever to win two games in a World Series of fewer than six games.

This certainly wasn't the first postseason Stanton has been dominant: his career record stands at 4-1 with a 1.08 ERA (41⅔ innings, 42 strikeouts). With 40 career postseason relief appearances, he now only trails Jeff Nelson (42), and Mariano Rivera (41) on the all-time list.

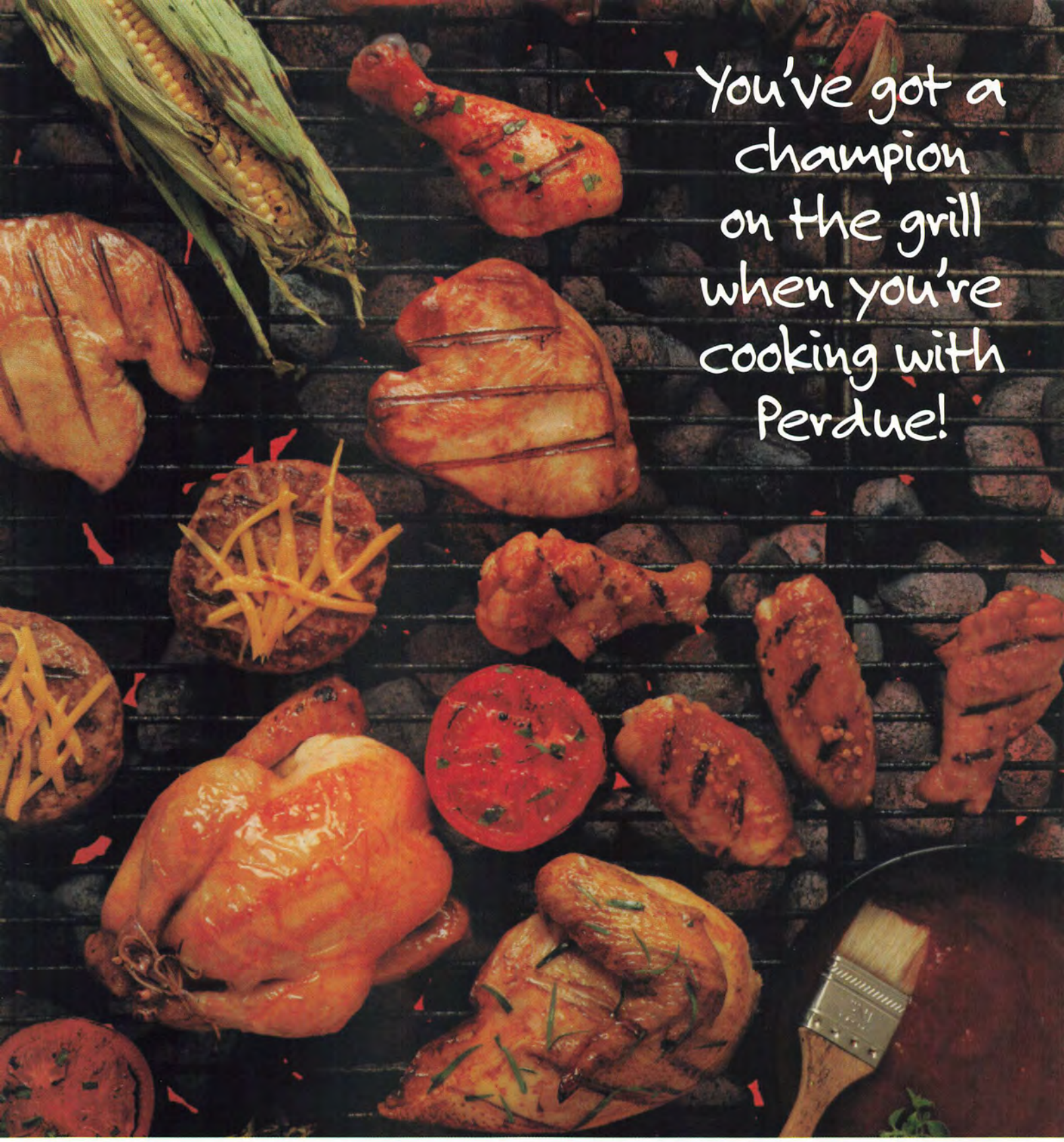
Having an abundance of postseason experience certainly helps. The 33-year-old Houston native has now appeared in nine straight ('91 to '93 with Atlanta, '95 with Boston, '96 with Texas and '97 to '00 with the Yankees).

He's also enjoyed some regular-season success, like last June 6 against Montreal, when he struck out a career-high five batters (2⅔ innings) and got his first hit since May of '94, boosting his career batting average to .500 (7-for-14).

Now with the departure of Nelson, Stanton will be expected to pick things up a notch in the bullpen. He should be up for the task, especially if he makes it to his 10th straight postseason.

## MIKE STANTON · PITCHER #29

| | W-L | ERA | G | GS | CG | SHO | SV | IP | H | R | ER | BB | SO |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | 2-3 | 4.10 | 69 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 68 | 68 | 32 | 31 | 24 | 75 |
| CAREER | 37-32 | 4.00 | 680 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 665⅓ | 632 | 319 | 296 | 251 | 566 |

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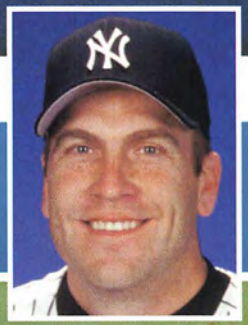
# CATCHERS

- Joe Oliver
- Jorge Posada

The Yankees will look to a new face to relieve some of the pressure on Jorge Posada this season as Joe Oliver assumes the role of backup catcher. A journeyman who has enjoyed stints with a handful of clubs, most recently the Seattle Mariners for the 2000 season, Oliver is a veteran who has been solid behind the plate throughout his career.

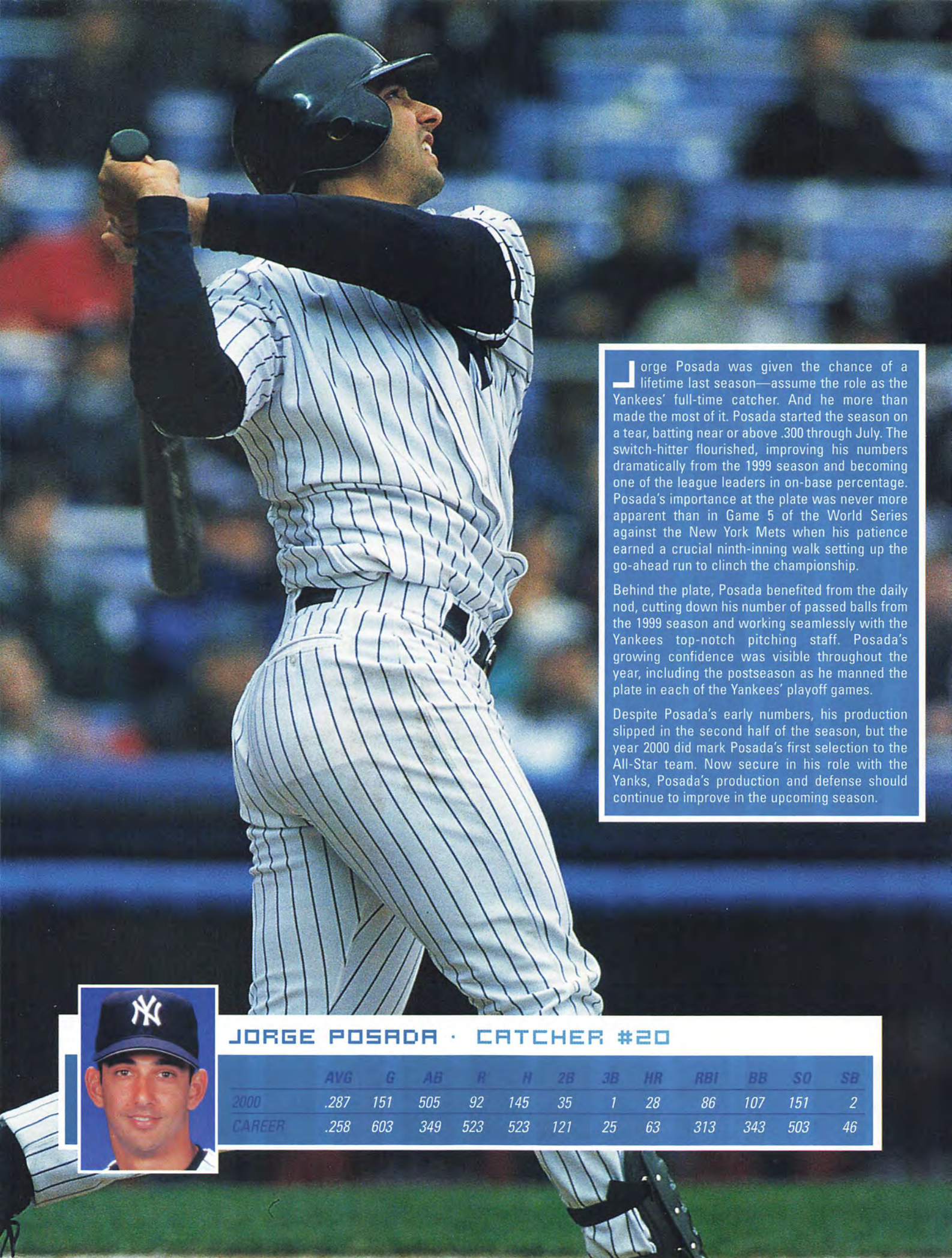
Oliver spent the first six years of his career with the Cincinnati Reds and returned to the club for a second stint after spending one year with the Milwaukee Brewers. Oliver left the Reds after 1994 and put in time with the Detroit Tigers, Pittsburgh Pirates and the Mariners before joining the Yanks as a free agent this spring. He has often split time throughout his career as a catcher and first baseman.

Oliver has solid career defensive numbers, including a .989 fielding percentage and low passed ball numbers as a catcher. He saw action in 69 games last season and put up 53 hits with 13 doubles and 10 home runs. With Oliver, the Yankees gain an experienced man coming off the bench who should relieve pressure on Posada and provide strong defense when needed.



## JOE OLIVER · CATCHER #14

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .265 | 69 | 200 | 33 | 53 | 13 | 1 | 10 | 35 | 14 | 38 | 2 |
| CAREER | .247 | 1059 | 3319 | 316 | 819 | 172 | 3 | 101 | 473 | 246 | 622 | 13 |



Jorge Posada was given the chance of a lifetime last season—assume the role as the Yankees' full-time catcher. And he more than made the most of it. Posada started the season on a tear, batting near or above .300 through July. The switch-hitter flourished, improving his numbers dramatically from the 1999 season and becoming one of the league leaders in on-base percentage. Posada's importance at the plate was never more apparent than in Game 5 of the World Series against the New York Mets when his patience earned a crucial ninth-inning walk setting up the go-ahead run to clinch the championship.

Behind the plate, Posada benefited from the daily nod, cutting down his number of passed balls from the 1999 season and working seamlessly with the Yankees top-notch pitching staff. Posada's growing confidence was visible throughout the year, including the postseason as he manned the plate in each of the Yankees' playoff games.

Despite Posada's early numbers, his production slipped in the second half of the season, but the year 2000 did mark Posada's first selection to the All-Star team. Now secure in his role with the Yanks, Posada's production and defense should continue to improve in the upcoming season.



## JORGE POSADA · CATCHER #20

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .287 | 151 | 505 | 92 | 145 | 35 | 1 | 28 | 86 | 107 | 151 | 2 |
| CAREER | .258 | 603 | 349 | 523 | 523 | 121 | 25 | 63 | 313 | 343 | 503 | 46 |

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### E | MID-WEEK NIGHTS/12 NIGHTS

*Does not include Playoff Options.*

**Tier Box/Main Reserved:** $348 per seat **Tier Reserved:** $180 per seat **Bleacher Seats:** $96 per seat (Non-Alcohol Seating Only)

### F | FRIDAY NIGHTS/13 NIGHTS

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**MAY**

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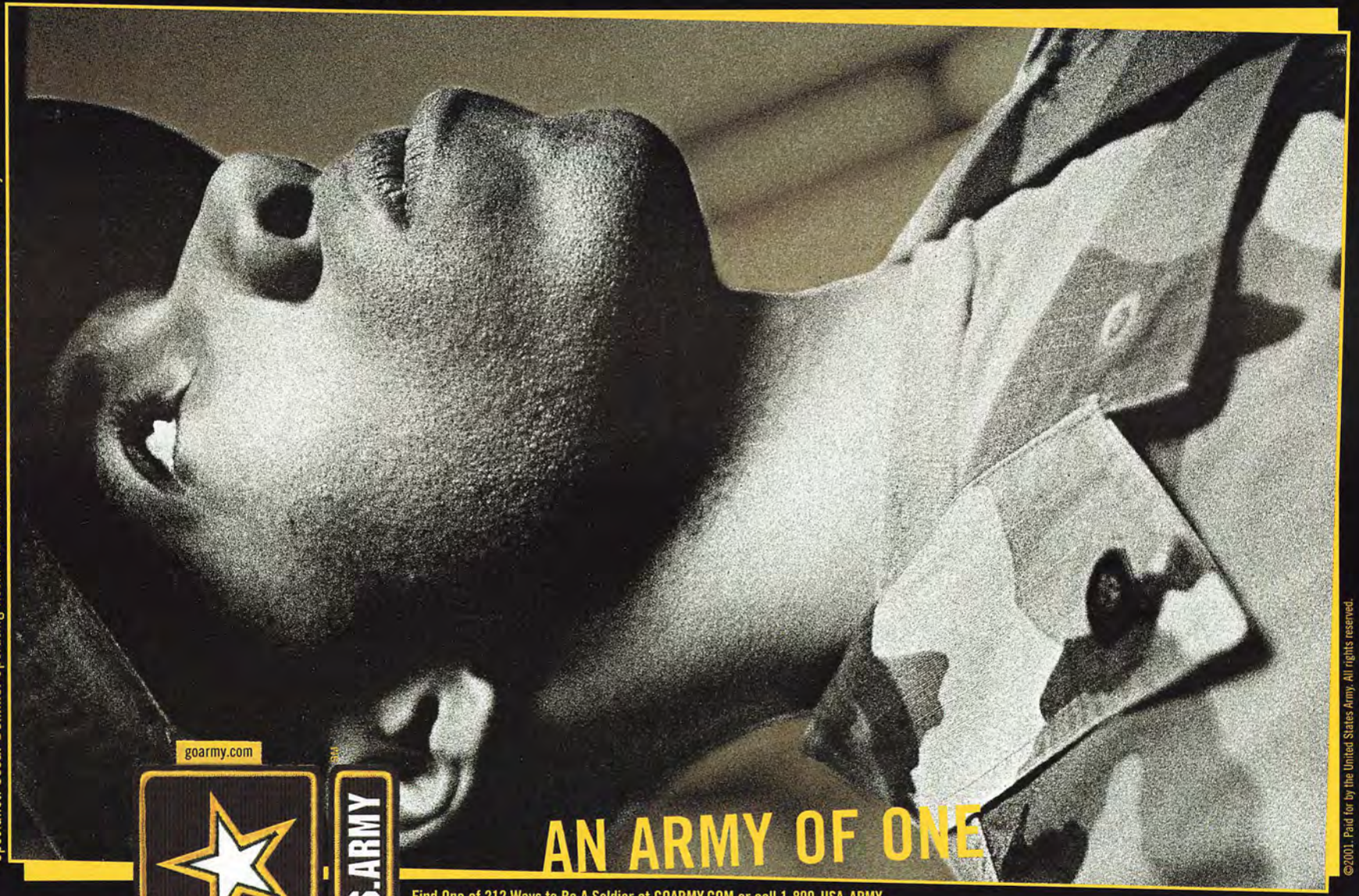

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# INFIELDERS

- Scott Brosius
- Derek Jeter
- Chuck Knoblauch
- Tino Martinez

Nobody in the league can bare-hand a slow-roller down the third base line better than Scott Brosius. Heading into his fourth year in the Yankee hot corner, Brosius is a master at snaring a short-hop and delivering a bulls-eye to first. Last July, the third baseman initiated four double plays in a game against Baltimore, tying a Major League record.

While his Gold Glove has anchored the Yankee infield, Brosius' bat never fails to give the team a boost when it matters most. Who can forget his MVP performance in the '98 World Series? In fact, his career .391 Fall Classic batting average ranks fifth all-time among players with 40 or more at bats. In last year's Subway Series, he hit a solid .308 (4-for-13) with a home run and three ribbies.

Brosius will continue in '01 to give the Yanks tried-and-true defense in the corner.

## SCOTT BROSIUS · INFIELD #18

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .230 | 135 | 470 | 57 | 108 | 20 | 0 | 16 | 64 | 45 | 73 | 0 |
| CAREER | .254 | 1026 | 3461 | 487 | 878 | 175 | 6 | 128 | 482 | 314 | 616 | 54 |

Coming off what was perhaps his best season yet, Derek was the first player in history to be named MVP of both the All-Star Game and the World Series in the same year. Is he the best shortstop in the league? Well, that depends who you ask, but his four world championship rings, in only five major league seasons, speaks volumes more than any stat. In fact, only three other players earned four world championships at a younger age: Joe DiMaggio, Mickey Mantle and Billy Martin.

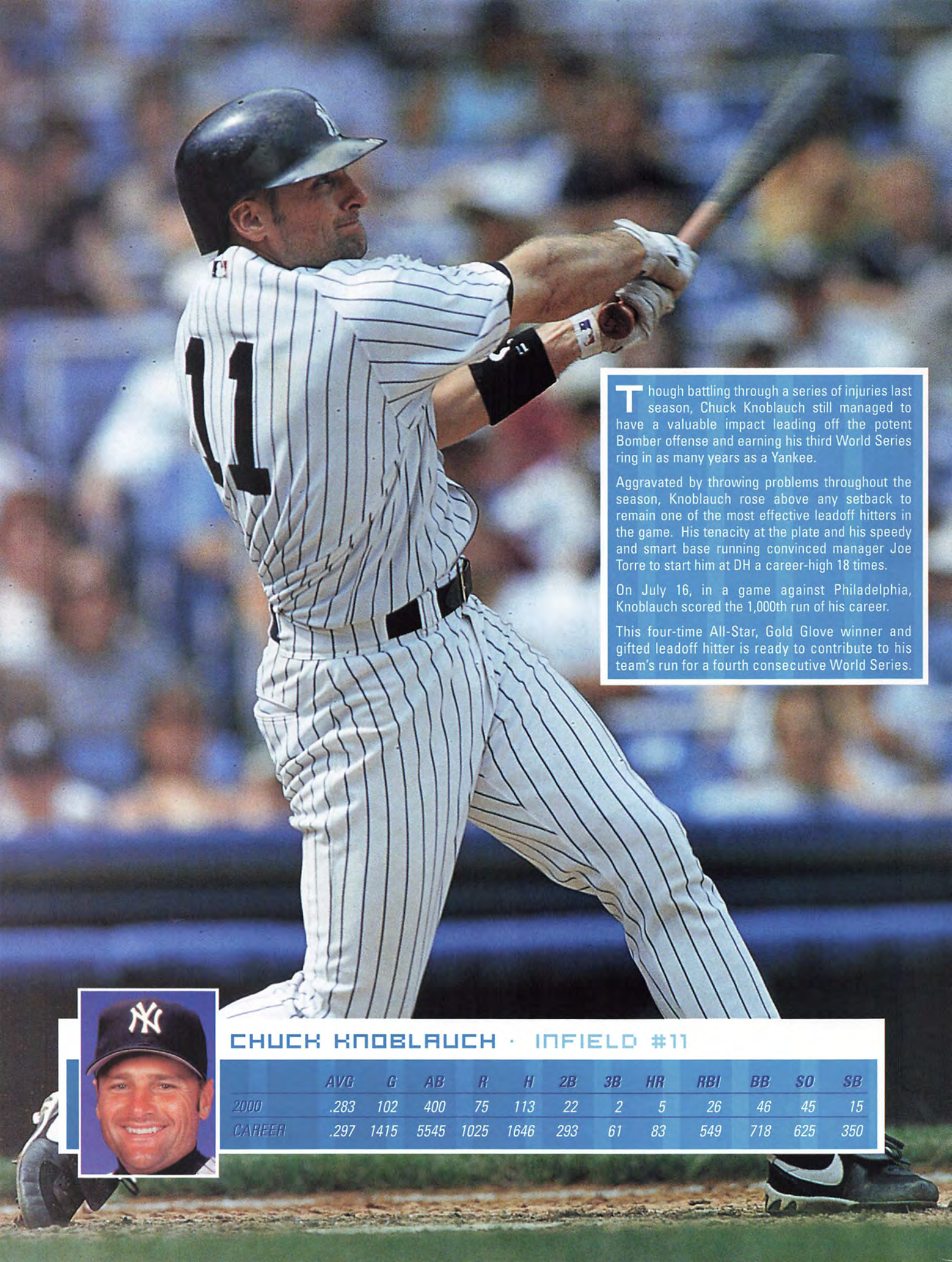
Derek is quickly batting his way into pinstripe history. Last year marked his third straight 200-hit season, becoming only the third Yankee slugger to do so, along with Lou Gehrig and Don Mattingly. He's the fourth Bomber to score 500 runs by the age of 26, behind Gehrig, DiMaggio and Mantle, and only Mantle and DiMaggio had more hits at the same age. Not a bad start to a career, huh?

His numbers are just as impressive in the postseason. He has hit safely in 14 straight World Series games. In last year's Subway Series, Derek batted .409 (9-for-22) with two doubles, one triple, two home runs and two RBI. In game four, he swiftly silenced the Shea Stadium crowd by smacking the first pitch of the game out of the park.

An offseason contract extension assures his presence in the Bronx for the next 10 years. Already one of the most popular athletes in New York, this fan favorite and media darling has earned a celebrated reputation by playing hard with class, grace and good humor.

## DEREK JETER · INFIELD #2

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .339 | 148 | 593 | 119 | 201 | 31 | 4 | 15 | 73 | 68 | 99 | 22 |
| CAREER | .322 | 786 | 3130 | 605 | 1008 | 153 | 35 | 78 | 414 | 341 | 572 | 108 |



Though battling through a series of injuries last season, Chuck Knoblauch still managed to have a valuable impact leading off the potent Bomber offense and earning his third World Series ring in as many years as a Yankee.

Aggravated by throwing problems throughout the season, Knoblauch rose above any setback to remain one of the most effective leadoff hitters in the game. His tenacity at the plate and his speedy and smart base running convinced manager Joe Torre to start him at DH a career-high 18 times.

On July 16, in a game against Philadelphia, Knoblauch scored the 1,000th run of his career.

This four-time All-Star, Gold Glove winner and gifted leadoff hitter is ready to contribute to his team's run for a fourth consecutive World Series.



## CHUCK KNOBLAUCH · INFIELD #11

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .283 | 102 | 400 | 75 | 113 | 22 | 2 | 5 | 26 | 46 | 45 | 15 |
| CAREER | .297 | 1415 | 5545 | 1025 | 1646 | 293 | 61 | 83 | 549 | 718 | 625 | 350 |

This power-hitting first baseman has been driving in run after run in his five years as a Bomber. Over the last six seasons, Tino Martinez has out-ribbied all but one other first baseman with 678 (Jeff Bagwell has 708).

The word for Tino is clutch; always coming up big when it counts. He led his teammates with .364 postseason average last year, hitting five doubles, one home run and seven RBI. His playoff performance was highlighted by a masterful American League Division Series, where he hit .421—pounding three hits to surpass teammate Bernie Williams for the record for most career Division Series hits (30). Tino fell only one hit short of the all-time record for most hits in postseason play.

Tino had five consecutive 25-HR and 100-RBI seasons from 1995 to 1999, a feat matched by only three other Yankee legends: Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig and Joe DiMaggio.

With one of the most reliable first-base gloves, he never fails to make a difficult play look easy. Martinez' rock-steady defense and veteran leadership skills have been a cornerstone of the last four championships.

## TINO MARTINEZ · INFIELD #24

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .258 | 155 | 569 | 69 | 147 | 37 | 4 | 16 | 91 | 52 | 74 | 4 |
| CAREER | .273 | 1312 | 4774 | 684 | 1303 | 262 | 15 | 229 | 889 | 523 | 712 | 17 |

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# OUTFIELDERS

- David Justice
- Paul O'Neill
- Shane Spencer
- Bernie Williams

By the time David Justice donned pinstripes in midseason, his looming presence from the left-side of the plate was just what the doctor ordered, making an already dominant lineup even better. Justice fit right in and batted .305 after being acquired by the Yanks in late June. He went on to lead the team with 20 homers, 60 ribbies and a .585 slugging percentage. Most importantly, his consummate professionalism blended nicely with a veteran, hard-working squad.

Justice is just dominant in the postseason. His preeminent postseason play continued as a Bomber as he led the team with 12 RBI in 16 games and was named the American League Championship Series MVP after batting .231 with two dingers and eight RBI. In Game 6 of the ALCS, his three-run blast gave him the ribbies he needed to break ahead of Reggie Jackson for most career postseason RBI. Justice also owns the record for most plate appearances in postseason history with 400, most postseason games played with 92, and is tied for second place (with Manny Ramirez) for most postseason home runs among active players with 13.

## DAVID JUSTICE · OUTFIELD #28

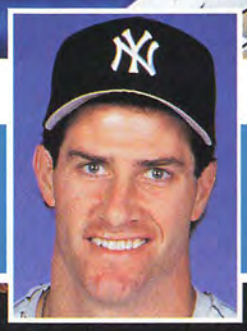
| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .305 | 78 | 275 | 43 | 84 | 17 | 0 | 20 | 60 | 39 | 42 | 1 |
| CAREER | .283 | 1381 | 4846 | 817 | 1373 | 246 | 20 | 276 | 917 | 779 | 850 | 48 |

Talk about consistency! Last season, Paul O'Neill became only the fourth Yankee outfielder in history to bang home 100 RBI in four straight seasons, joining Hall of Famers Babe Ruth, Joe DiMaggio and Dave Winfield. Starting every season opener in right field since joining the squad in '93, O'Neill has raised his batting average 30 points since becoming a Bomber. As a Yankee, he is batting .308, ranking ninth on the team's all-time batting list.

He is as steady an outfielder as they come, with a cannon of an arm and a steadfast presence in the middle of the lineup. Yet it's perhaps his postseason heroics that are most impressive.

In 16 postseason games last year, O'Neill recorded a .310 batting average, with three doubles, two triples and seven RBI. He led all Yankee batters in the World Series with a .474 average (9-for-19) and his nine hits tied a five-game Fall Classic record. If that's not enough, while rallying for five straight hits, the veteran's two triples also tied a five-game World Series record.

Last October, this Yankee warrior earned his fifth championship ring.



## PAUL O'NEILL · OUTFIELD #21

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .283 | 142 | 566 | 79 | 160 | 26 | 0 | 18 | 100 | 51 | 90 | 14 |
| CAREER | .289 | 1916 | 6808 | 964 | 1969 | 418 | 20 | 260 | 1199 | 844 | 1107 | 119 |

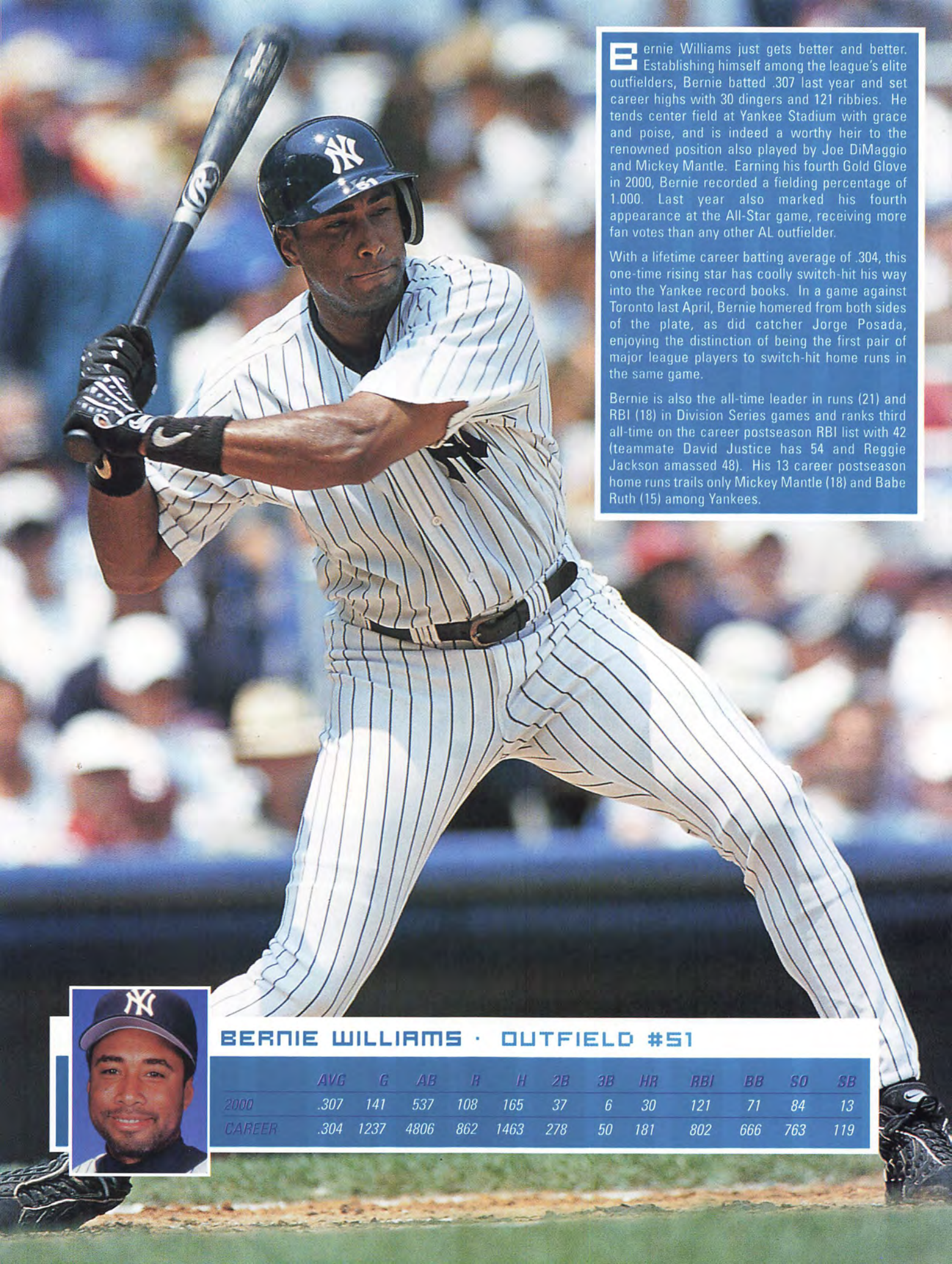
After recording a Bomber rookie record in '98 by hitting eight dingers in the month of September, Shane Spencer finally established himself as one of the Yanks' top prospects after nine years in the minors.

But the scenario was not to be one for the storybooks. Since then, circumstances have been rocky for the outfielder, as a torn ligament in his right knee forced him to miss the second half of last season.

But while this exciting newcomer was healthy in 2000, he batted .282 with nine home runs and 40 RBI, generated an eight-game hitting streak in May, and has driven in four runs in a game six times. Hard work and rehab in the off season will hopefully be the fuel Shane needs to make a strong comeback.

## SHANE SPENCER · OUTFIELD #47

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .282 | 73 | 248 | 33 | 70 | 11 | 3 | 9 | 40 | 19 | 45 | 1 |
| CAREER | .275 | 171 | 520 | 76 | 143 | 25 | 3 | 27 | 87 | 42 | 108 | 1 |



Bernie Williams just gets better and better. Establishing himself among the league's elite outfielders, Bernie batted .307 last year and set career highs with 30 dingers and 121 ribbies. He tends center field at Yankee Stadium with grace and poise, and is indeed a worthy heir to the renowned position also played by Joe DiMaggio and Mickey Mantle. Earning his fourth Gold Glove in 2000, Bernie recorded a fielding percentage of 1.000. Last year also marked his fourth appearance at the All-Star game, receiving more fan votes than any other AL outfielder.

With a lifetime career batting average of .304, this one-time rising star has coolly switch-hit his way into the Yankee record books. In a game against Toronto last April, Bernie homered from both sides of the plate, as did catcher Jorge Posada, enjoying the distinction of being the first pair of major league players to switch-hit home runs in the same game.

Bernie is also the all-time leader in runs (21) and RBI (18) in Division Series games and ranks third all-time on the career postseason RBI list with 42 (teammate David Justice has 54 and Reggie Jackson amassed 48). His 13 career postseason home runs trails only Mickey Mantle (18) and Babe Ruth (15) among Yankees.



## BERNIE WILLIAMS · OUTFIELD #51

| | AVG | G | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | RBI | BB | SO | SB |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 2000 | .307 | 141 | 537 | 108 | 165 | 37 | 6 | 30 | 121 | 71 | 84 | 13 |
| CAREER | .304 | 1237 | 4806 | 862 | 1463 | 278 | 50 | 181 | 802 | 666 | 763 | 119 |

# RESERVES

- Clay Bellinger
- Randy Choate
- Craig Dingman
- Darrell Einertson
- Glenallen Hill
- Luis Sojo
- Alfonso Soriano
- Allen Watson

## CLAY BELLINGER
### INFIELD #12

You might think a player who spent more than 10 seasons in the minor leagues without making it to the majors would want to hang 'em up. Not Clay Bellinger...and his perseverance has paid off with a pair of World Series rings.

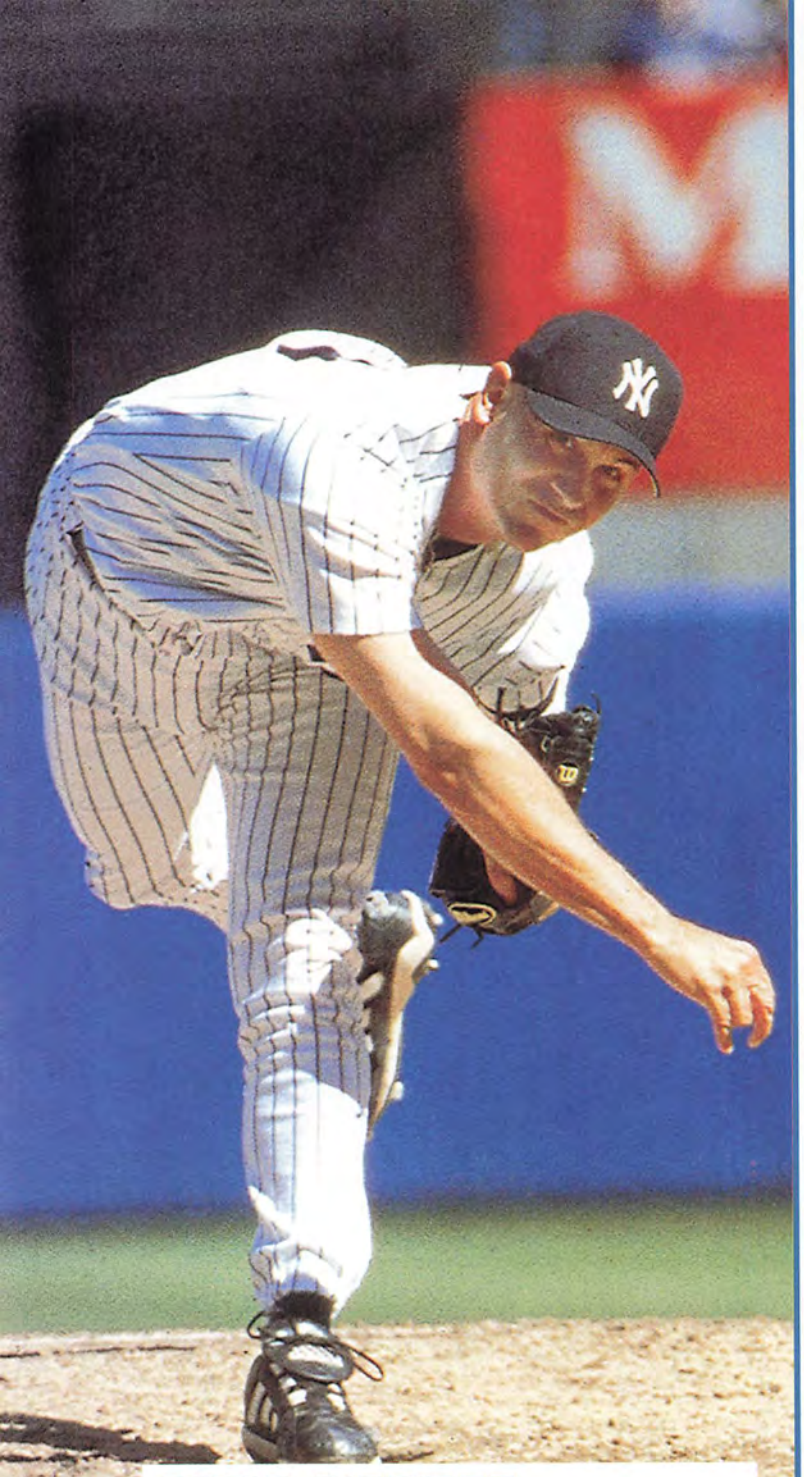
Since Bellinger's first call-up the Yankees in '99, he's proven to be a valuable utility man, especially since he has the ability to play every position except pitcher. What's more, the Oneonta, N.Y., native has delivered his share of timely hits. Last year, Bellinger, 32, belted a home run in the 10th inning to beat Texas on April 19, and followed suit with the first pinch-hit homer of his career on June 4 at Atlanta.

Contributions like those, plus solid defense and versatility, are exactly what can keep Bellinger with the team he waited so long to make.

## RANDY CHOATE
### PITCHER #58

Randy Choate earned his major league debut July of last year in Tampa Bay, and got out Fred McGriff with the tying run on base to help the Yankees win the game 6-1. This young, exciting southpaw saw limited time as a Yankee last year, but made the most of his appearances. He retired 14 of the first 21 batters he faced coming out of the pen, and prevented 13 of 17 inherited runners from scoring. His solid regular-season performance earned him a spot on the Yankees' postseason roster for both the Division Series and the Championship Series. He allowed 1 ER in 1⅓ IP in his postseason appearances.

This year, Choate is hoping to elevate his bullpen status and make his mark in pinstripes as a starter or a lefty relief specialist.

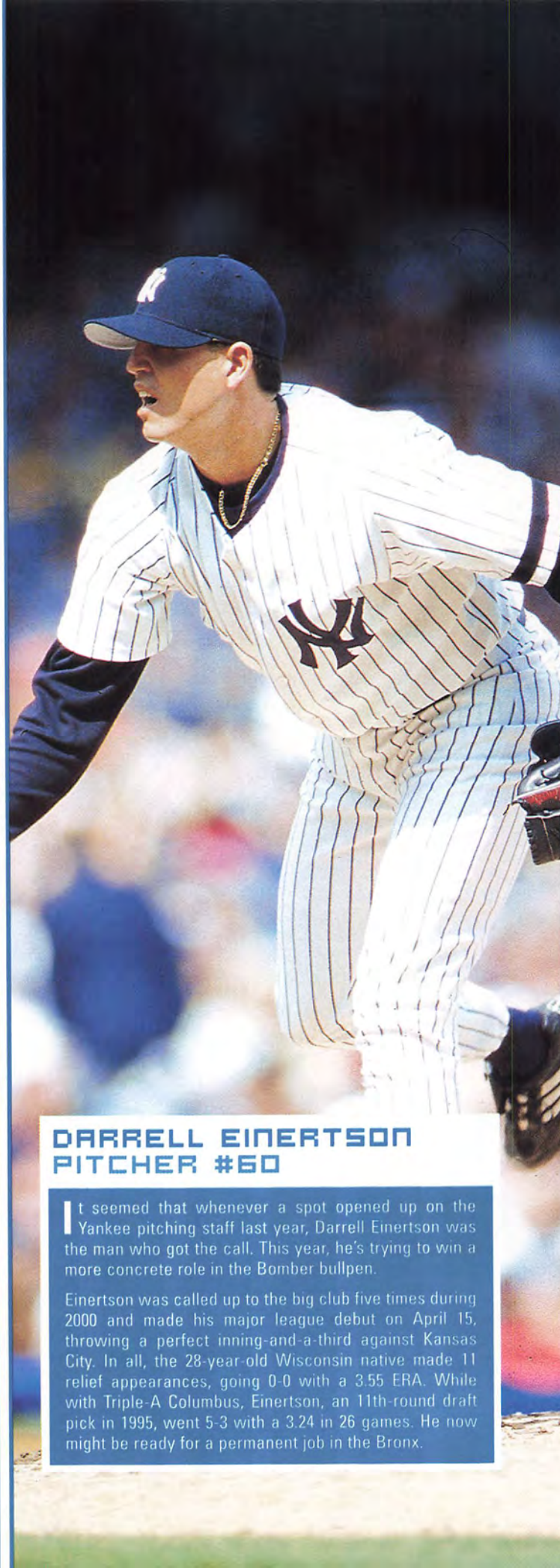


## CRAIG DINGMAN
## PITCHER #67

From a 36th-round pick in the 1993 draft to a prime candidate for the world champions' bullpen, Craig Dingman has certainly come a long way.

The 27-year-old from Wichita completed a huge part of his climb last June 30, when he made his major league debut, throwing 2⅓ scoreless innings against Tampa Bay. In 10 games with the Yanks, Dingman went 0-0 with a 6.55 ERA and seemed to lay the foundation for a big-league future. He further refined his tools at Triple-A Columbus, going 6-1 with a 3.05 ERA in 47 games.

With the ability to pitch as a long reliever or righty set-up man, Dingman appears ready to take the next big step in his baseball climb.



## DARRELL EINERTSON
## PITCHER #60

It seemed that whenever a spot opened up on the Yankee pitching staff last year, Darrell Einertson was the man who got the call. This year, he's trying to win a more concrete role in the Bomber bullpen.

Einertson was called up to the big club five times during 2000 and made his major league debut on April 15, throwing a perfect inning-and-a-third against Kansas City. In all, the 28-year-old Wisconsin native made 11 relief appearances, going 0-0 with a 3.55 ERA. While with Triple-A Columbus, Einertson, an 11th-round draft pick in 1995, went 5-3 with a 3.24 in 26 games. He now might be ready for a permanent job in the Bronx.

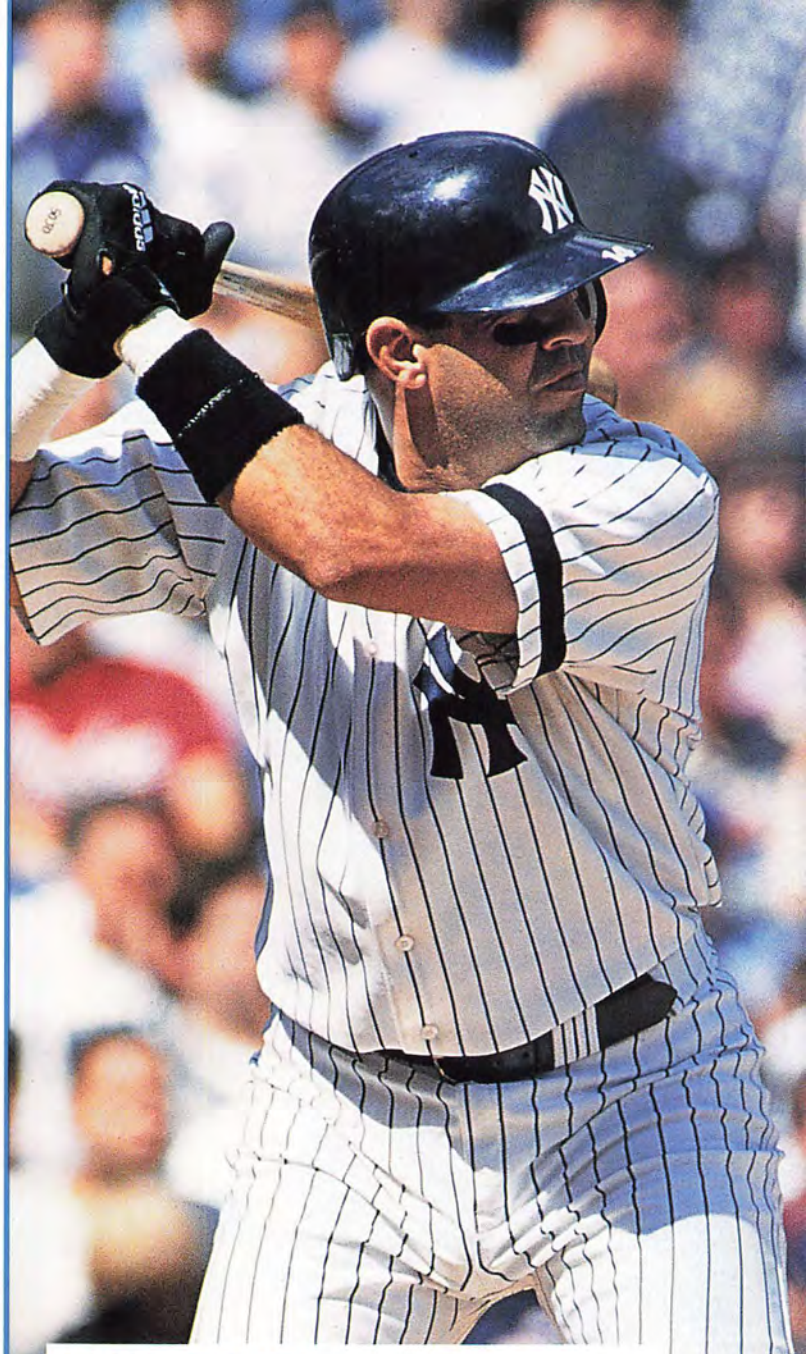
## GLENALLEN HILL
## OUTFIELD #25

When the Yankees acquired veteran outfielder Glenallen Hill last July, they expected a dependable bat off the bench. What they didn't expect was the incredible numbers Hill put up immediately upon arrival.

In only 132 at-bats with the Bombers, Hill hit .333 with 16 home runs and 29 RBI. He became the first Yankee to homer in his first plate appearance since Barry Foote in 1981. The 31-year-old slugger went on to hit 10 home runs in his first 51 Yankee at-bats, becoming just the fourth Bomber in 20 years to hit at least 10 home runs in his first 100 at-bats.

Hill's most impressive feat was a career-high 13-game hitting streak from Aug. 5 through Aug. 24, when he hit .510 (25-for-59) with nine home runs, 16 RBI, and was named the American League Player of the Month.

Hill, and the Yankees, will gladly settle for that kind of production again in 2001.



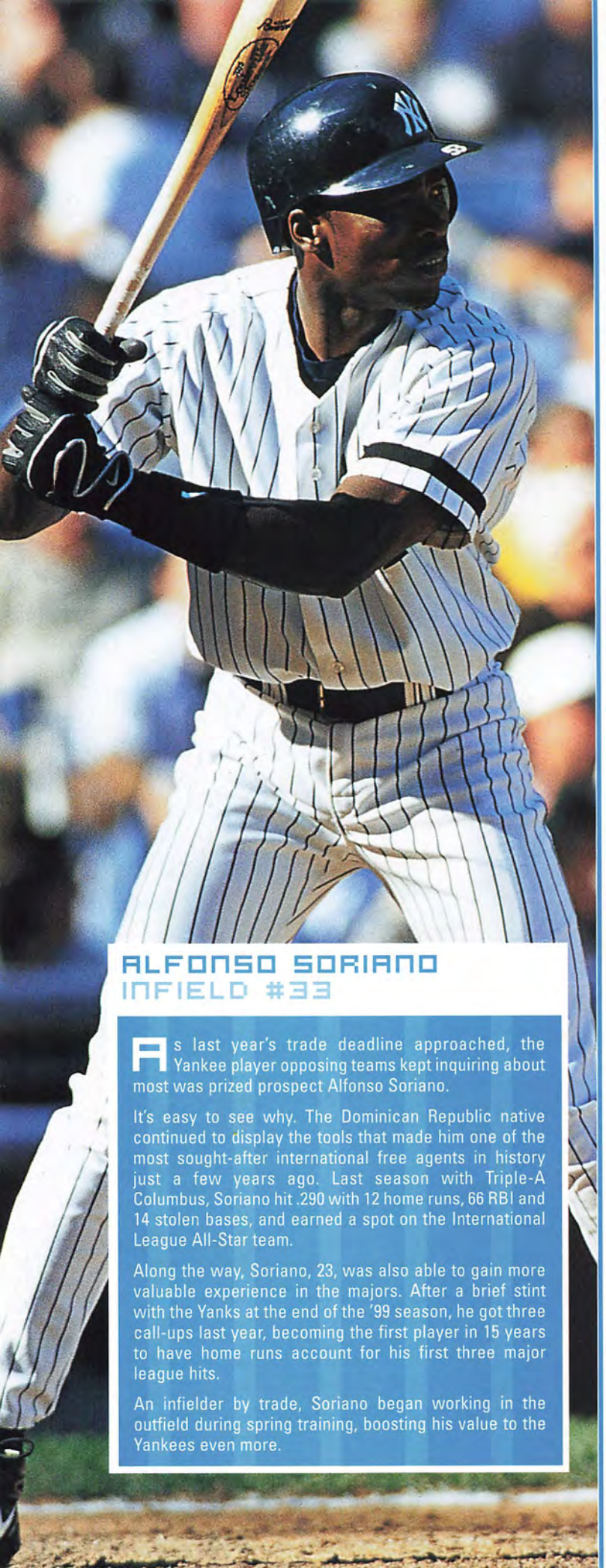
## LUIS SOJO
## INFIELD #19

Luis Sojo proved you can go home again and become a conquering hero.

When the Yankees reacquired the popular utility infielder last August, little did anyone dream he'd come up with the biggest hit of his life. But that's exactly what happened in Game 5 of the Subway Series. With the score tied with two outs in the top of the ninth, Sojo, 35, delivered a two-run single up the middle, giving the Bombers a 4-2 lead and, eventually, their 26th world championship. Sojo described it as "a dream come true."

That's obviously what Yankee fans will always remember about Sojo's 2000 campaign, but the Venezuela native also played an important role in the regular season, hitting .288 with two homers and 17 RBI.

For Sojo and this year's Yankees, a 27th championship would be another dream come true.



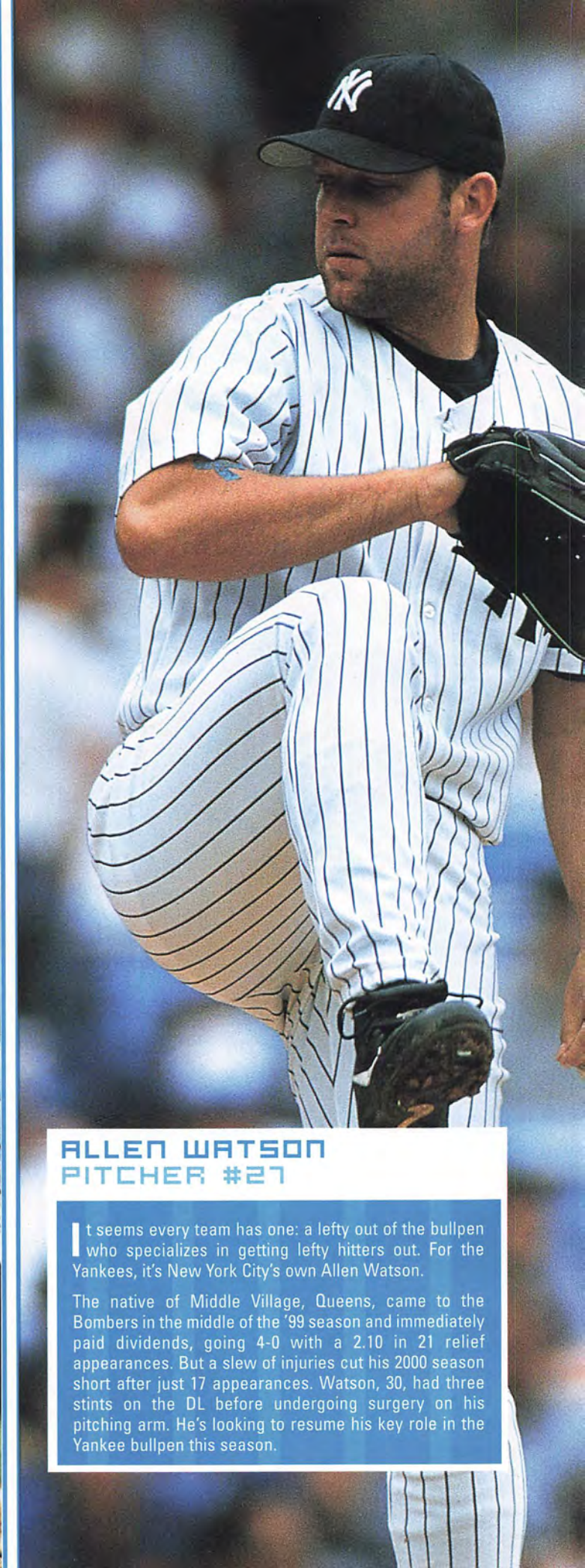
## ALFONSO SORIANO
### INFIELD #33

As last year's trade deadline approached, the Yankee player opposing teams kept inquiring about most was prized prospect Alfonso Soriano.

It's easy to see why. The Dominican Republic native continued to display the tools that made him one of the most sought-after international free agents in history just a few years ago. Last season with Triple-A Columbus, Soriano hit .290 with 12 home runs, 66 RBI and 14 stolen bases, and earned a spot on the International League All-Star team.

Along the way, Soriano, 23, was also able to gain more valuable experience in the majors. After a brief stint with the Yanks at the end of the '99 season, he got three call-ups last year, becoming the first player in 15 years to have home runs account for his first three major league hits.

An infielder by trade, Soriano began working in the outfield during spring training, boosting his value to the Yankees even more.



## ALLEN WATSON
### PITCHER #27

It seems every team has one: a lefty out of the bullpen who specializes in getting lefty hitters out. For the Yankees, it's New York City's own Allen Watson.

The native of Middle Village, Queens, came to the Bombers in the middle of the '99 season and immediately paid dividends, going 4-0 with a 2.10 in 21 relief appearances. But a slew of injuries cut his 2000 season short after just 17 appearances. Watson, 30, had three stints on the DL before undergoing surgery on his pitching arm. He's looking to resume his key role in the Yankee bullpen this season.

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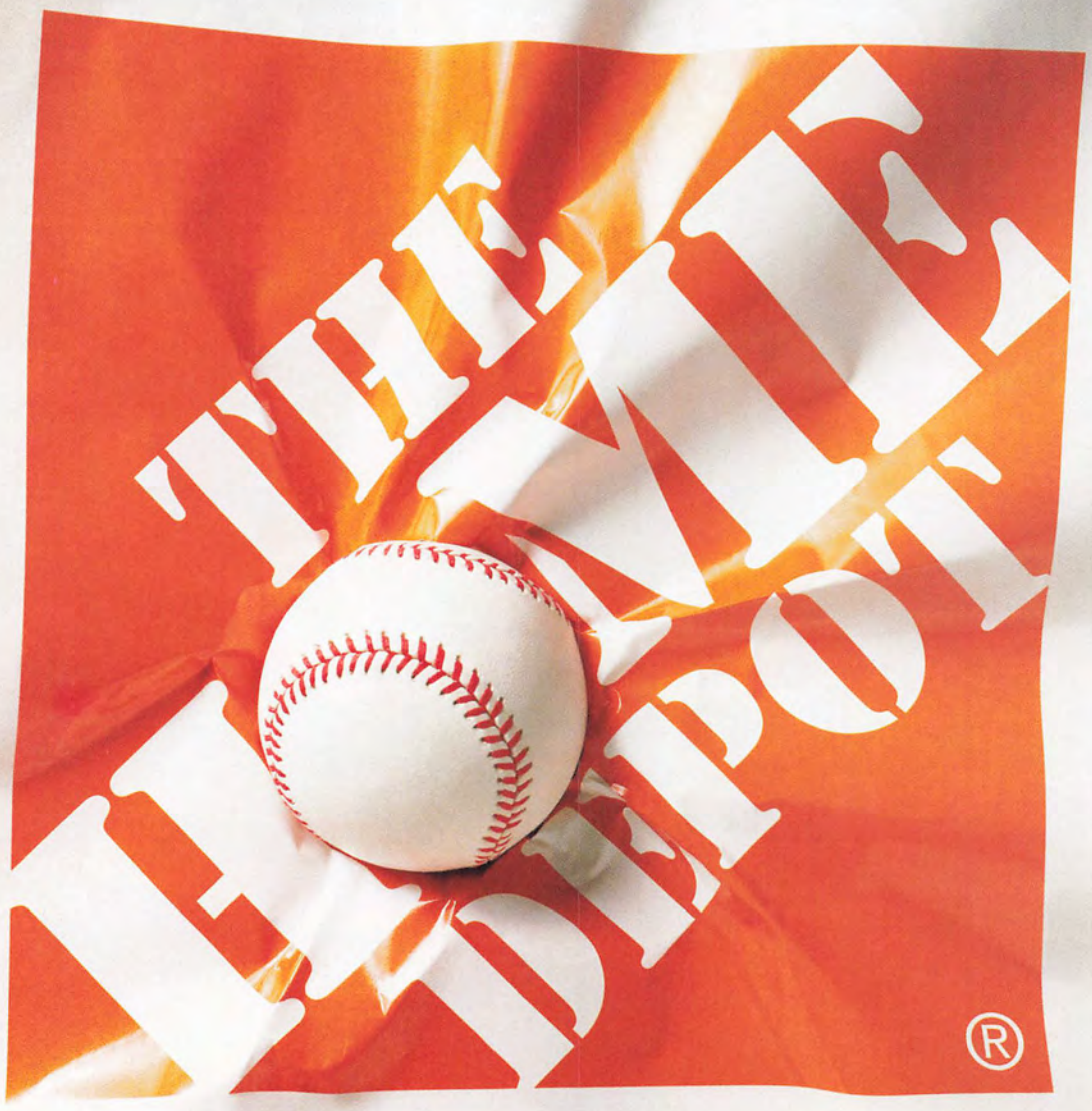


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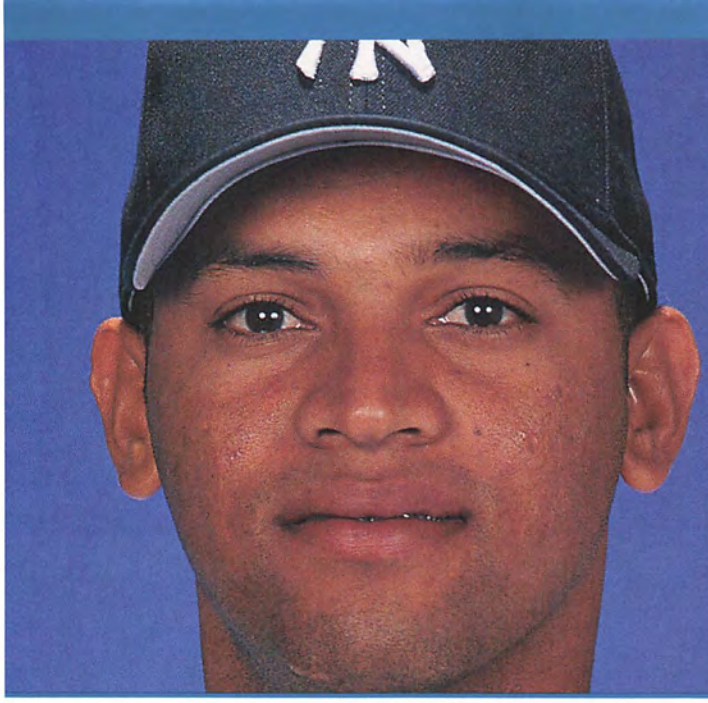

## D'ANGELO JIMENEZ
### INFIELD #39

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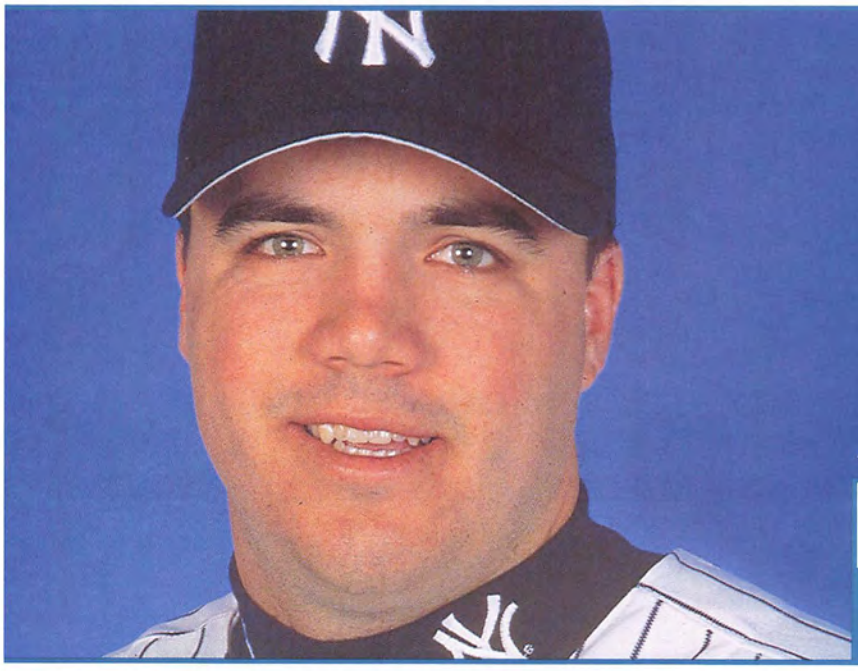

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## NICK JOHNSON
### INFIELD #70

| 1999 | ba | r | h |
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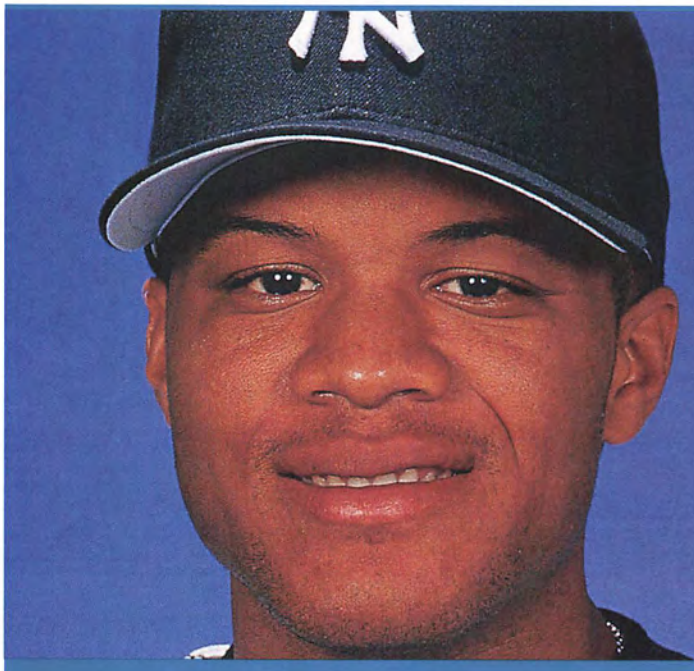
| STATS | .345 | 114 | 145 |



## DONZELL MCDONALD
### OUTFIELD #84

| 2000 | ba | h | sb |
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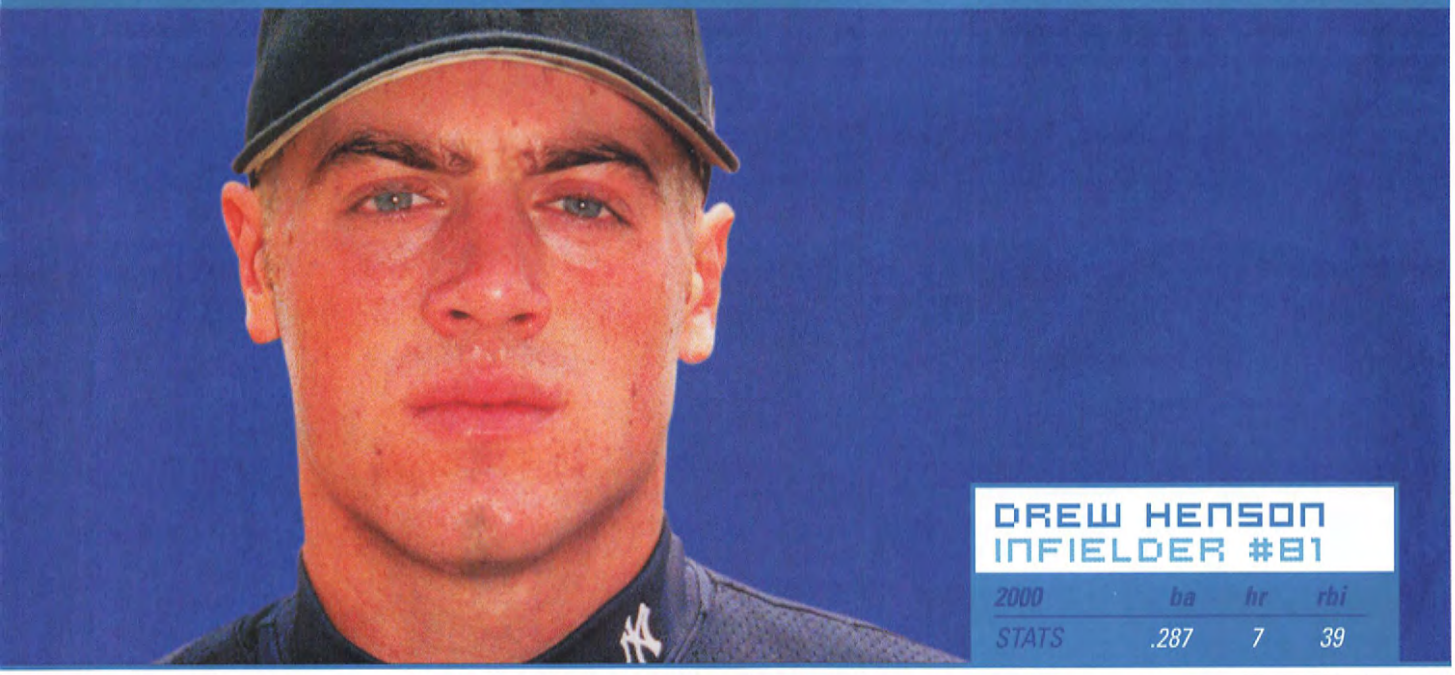
| STATS | .247 | 19 | 12 |



**DREW HENSON**
**INFIELDER #81**

| 2000 | ba | hr | rbi |
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| STATS | .287 | 7 | 39 |

**SCOTT SEABOL**
**INFIELD #74**

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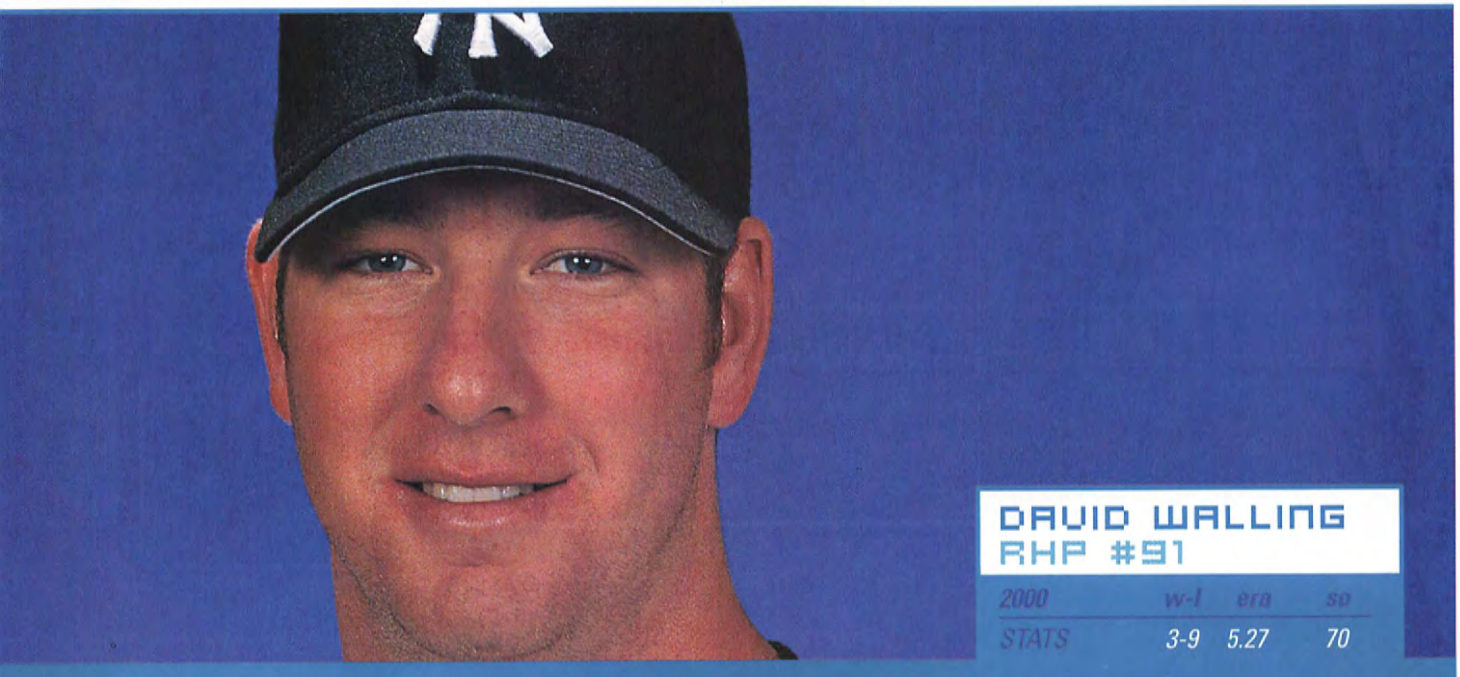

**DAVID WALLING**
**RHP #91**

| 2000 | w-l | era | so |
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| STATS | 3-9 | 5.27 | 70 |

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**2000 Record, Finish:** 75-69, 2nd place in West Division..
**Attendance (dates/average):** 458,806 (64/7,169).
**Playoffs:** None.
**All-Star Team:** Jay Tessmer, Alfonso Soriano, Trey Hillman (Manager of the Year).
**League Leaders:** RHP Brandon Knight, 28 GS, 8 CG, 184 ⅔ IP, 138 K; RHP. Jay Tessmer, 60 G, 53 GF, 94 relief points

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**2000 Record, Finish:** 76-66, 3rd place in the Northern Division.
**Attendance (dates/average):** 226,551 (67/3,381).
**Playoffs:** None.
**All-Star Team:** Jason Beverlin, Drew Henson, Scott Seabol, Jackson Melian.
**League Leaders:** RHP Domingo Jean, 62 G, 46 GF, 94 relief points; RHP Christian Parker 20 IP; Scott Seabol, 45 doubles.

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**2000 Record, Finish:** 1st half: 37-33, 2nd half: 33-37 (5th)
**Attendance (dates/average):** 97,839 (70/1,482)ß
**Playoffs:** None.
**All-Star Team:** Brett Jodie, Brian Reith, Dave Walling, Ryan Soules.
**League Leaders:** LHP Alex Graman, 28 GS.

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**2000 Record, Finish:** 1st half: 34-47
2nd half: 22-44 (7th).
**Attendance (dates/average):** 131,605 (60/2,193).
**Playoffs:** None.
**All-Star Team:** Jose Franco, Brandon Clausson, Omar Fuentes, Torre Tyson.
**League Leaders:** LHP Andy Brown, 182 K.

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**2000 Record, Finish:** 46-28, 1st place in the McNamara Division.
**Attendance (dates/average):** 102,980 (38/2,710).
**Playoffs:** NY-Penn League Champs; defeated Queens (Blue Jays) two games to one in opening playoff series and defeated Mahoning Valley (Indians) two games to one in the championship series.
**All-Star Team:** Andy Beal, Elvis Corporan, Mitch Jones.
**League Leaders:** Andy Beal, 9 W; Jason Kinchen, 1/23.10 HR/AB; Mitch Jones, 74 G, 143 TB, 28 doubles, 11 HR, 42 extra-base hits, .504 slugging pctg.

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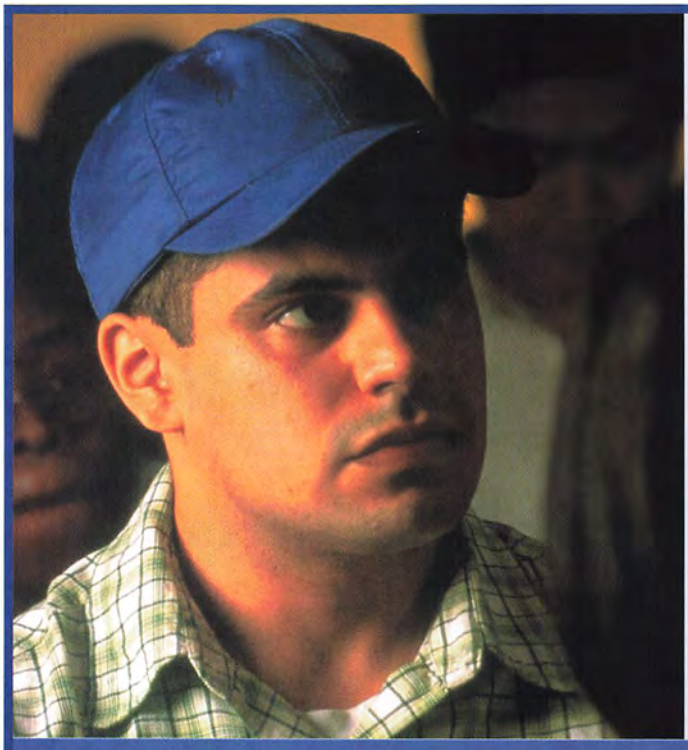
**2000 Record, Finish:** 38-22, 1st place in the Northern Division.
**Playoffs:** Defeated the Marlins in a first round play-in and then lost to Texas in the championship series, two games to one.
**All-Star Team:** Reggie Laplante, Deivi Mendez, Yhency Brazoban.
**League Leaders:** Reggie Laplante, 51 relief points, .107 avg. against (relief); Jason Turner, 58 G.



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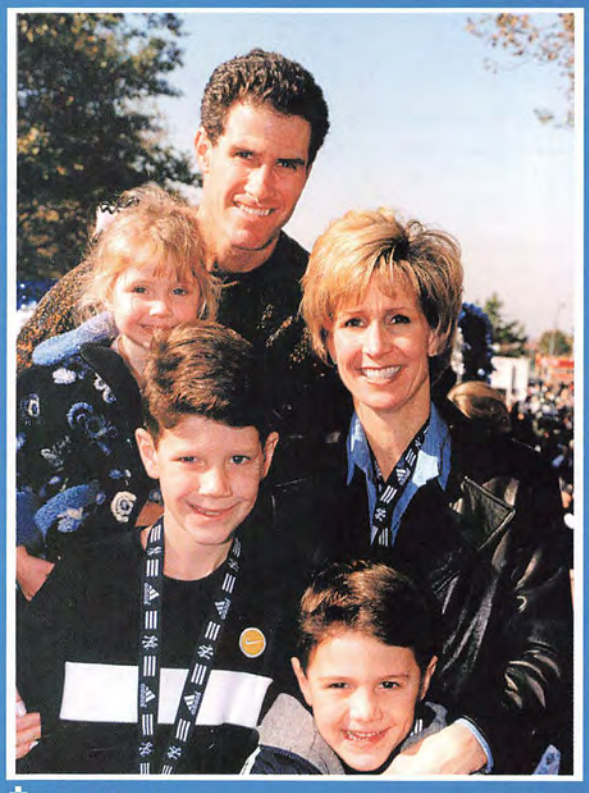

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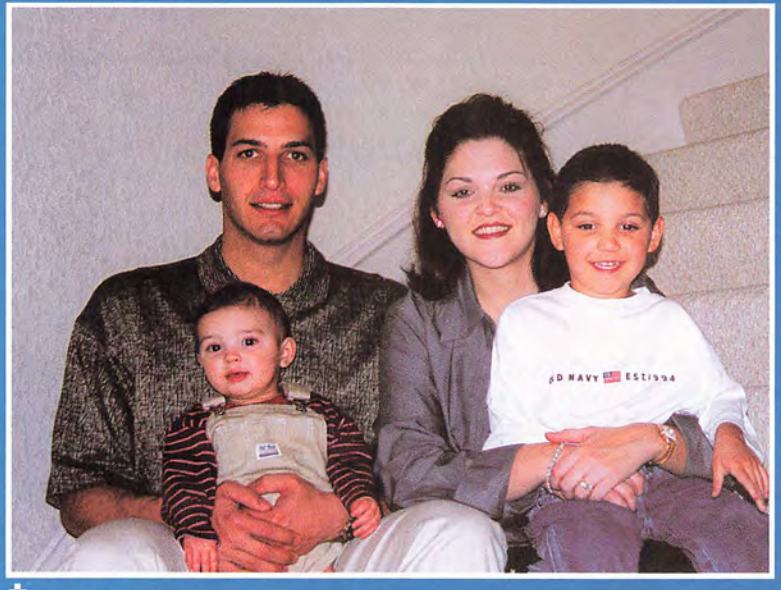

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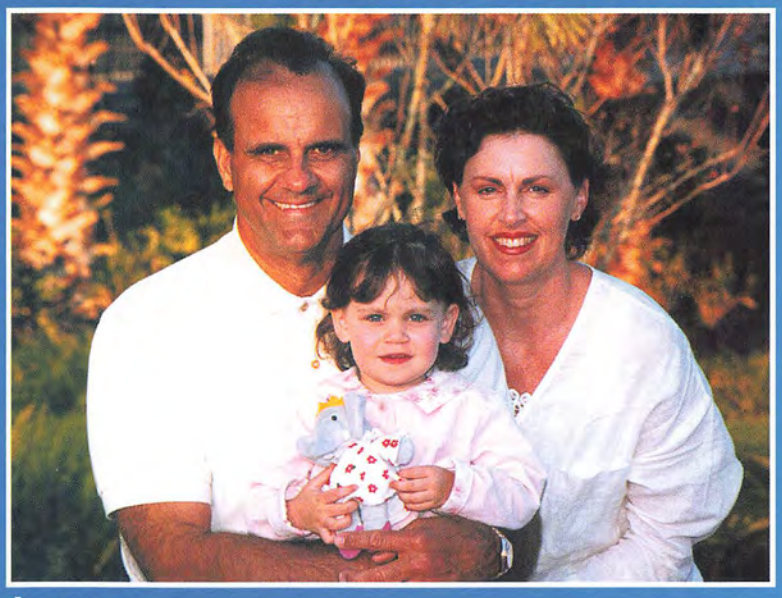

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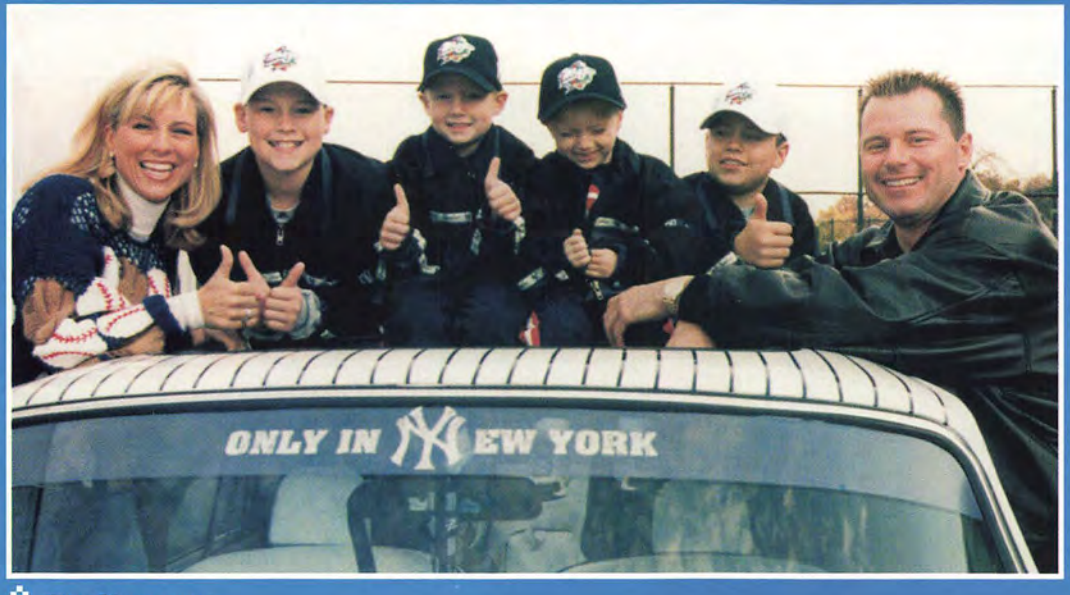


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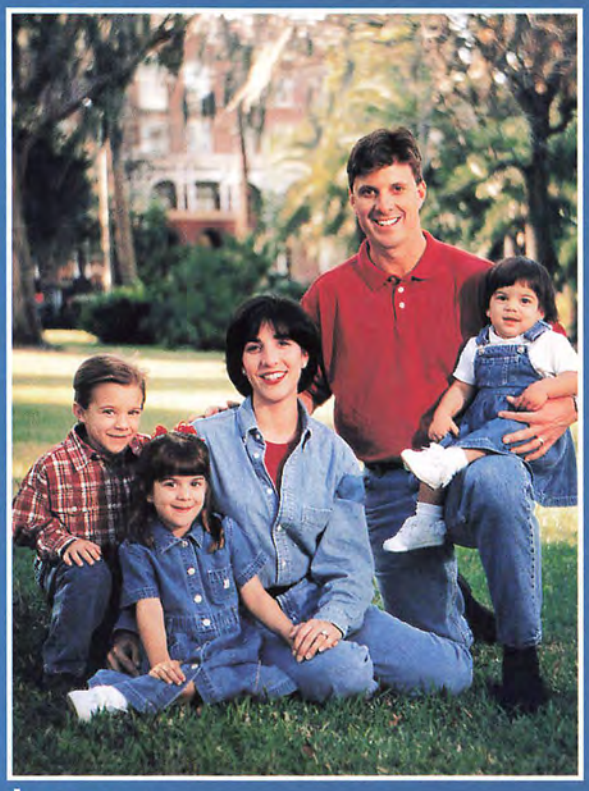

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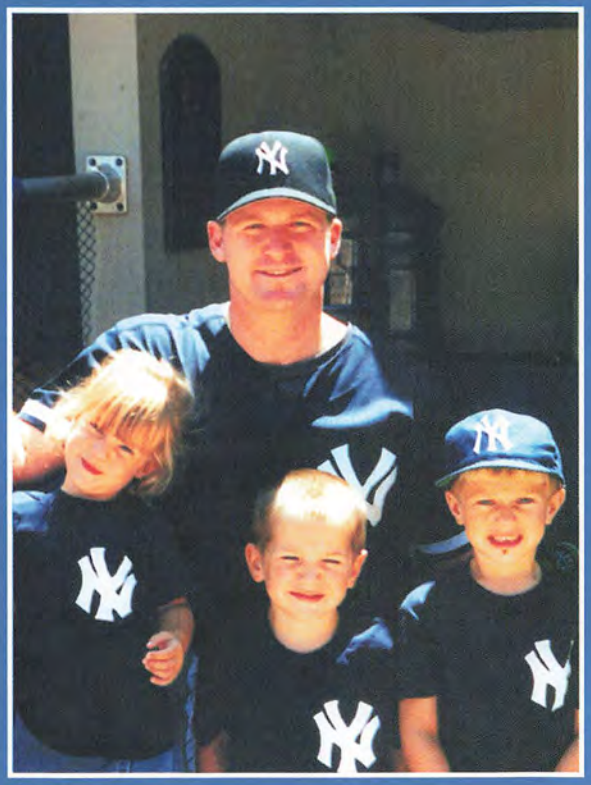

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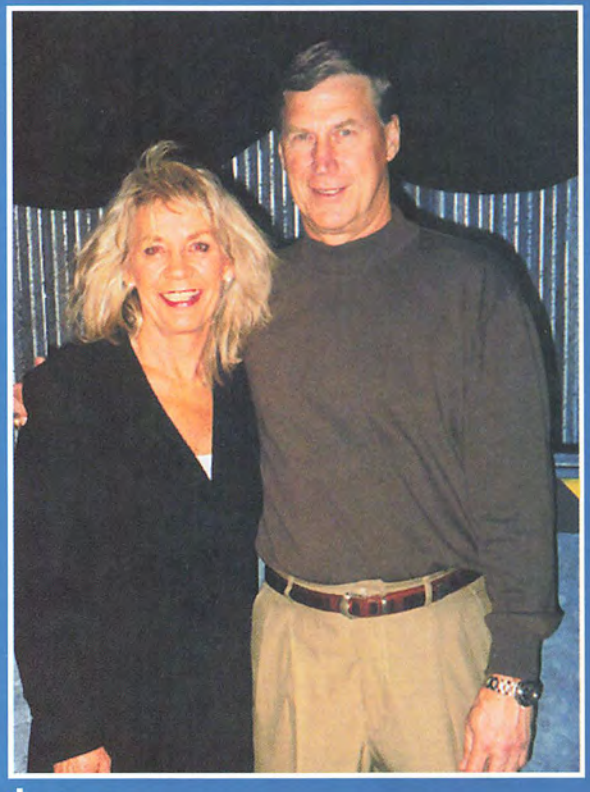

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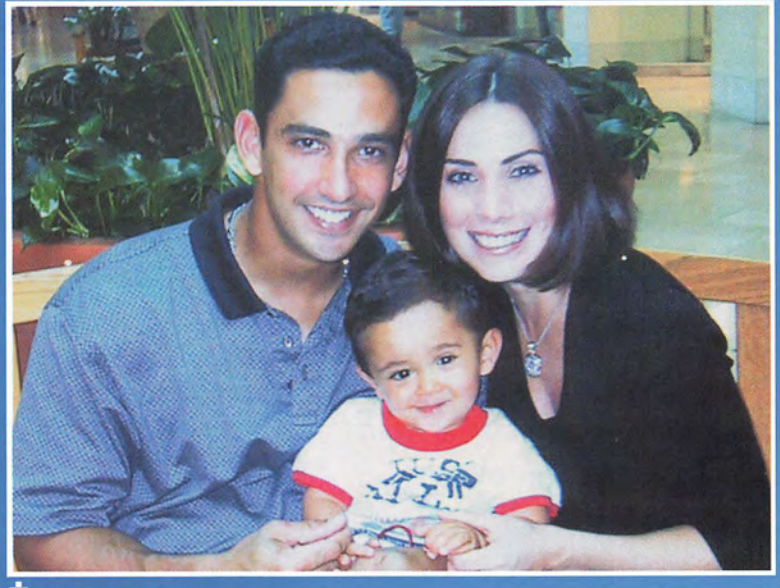

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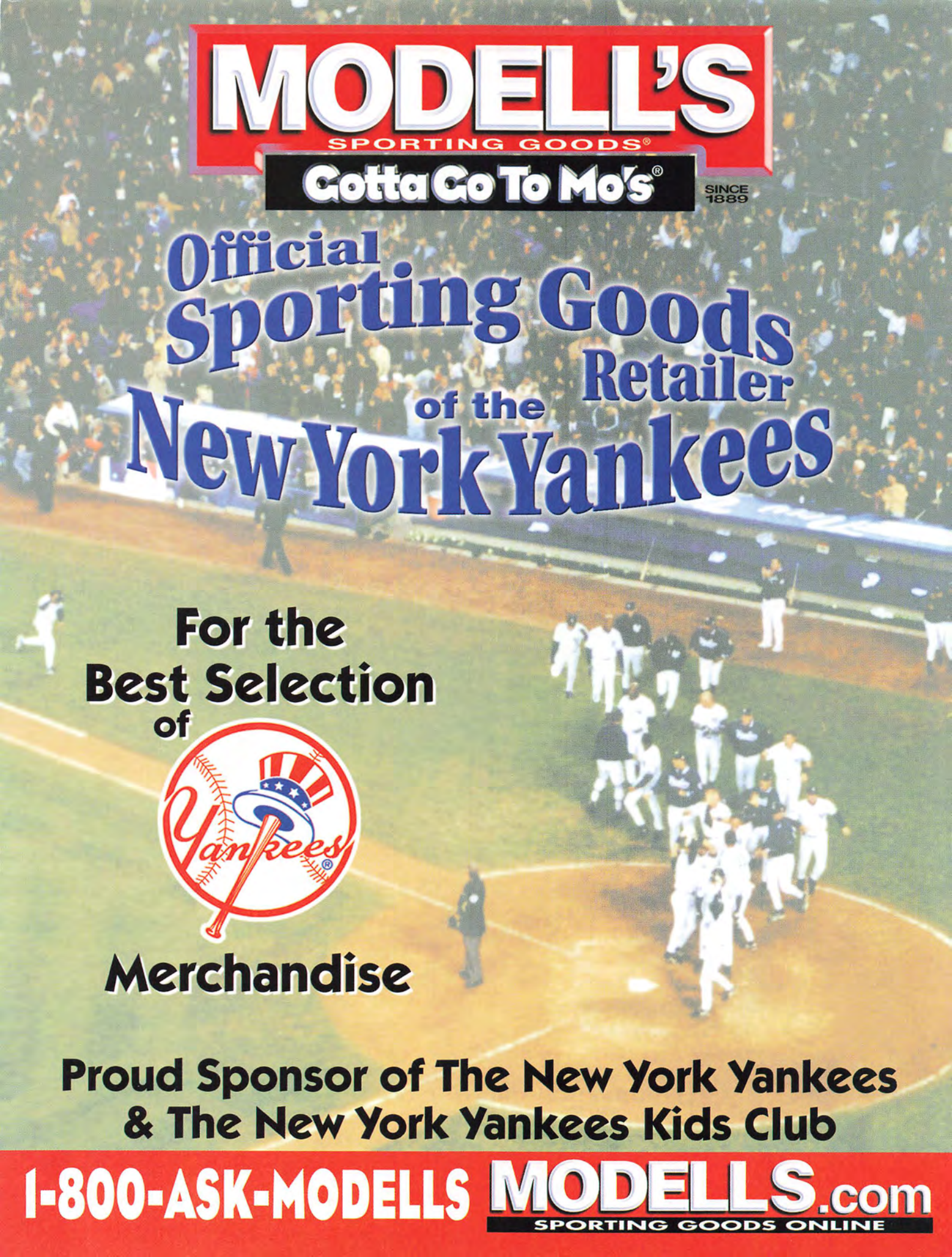
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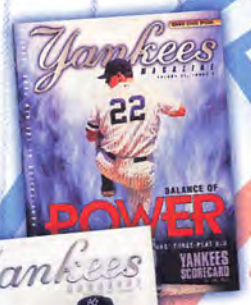

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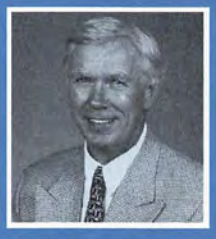

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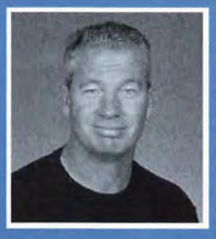

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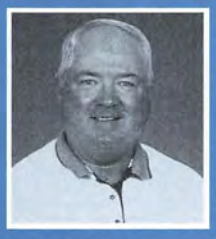

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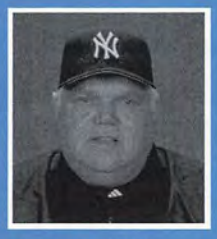

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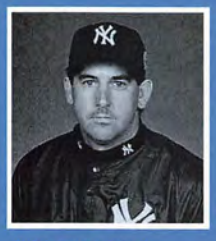

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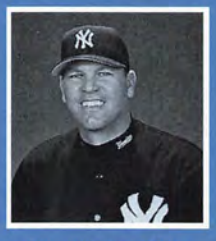

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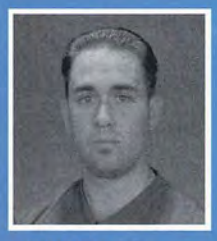

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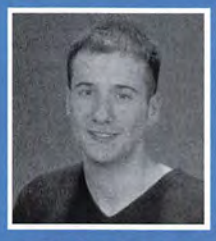

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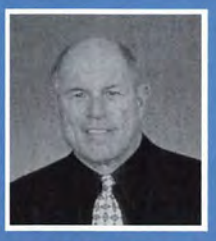

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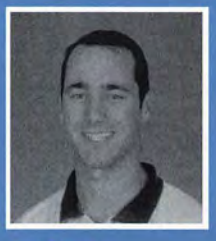

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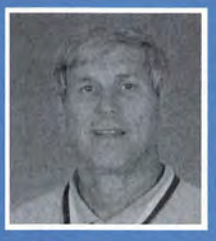

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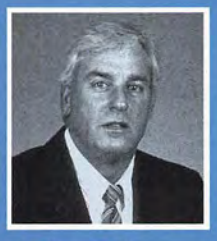

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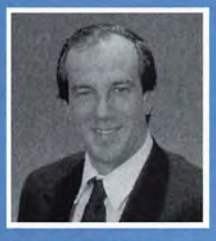

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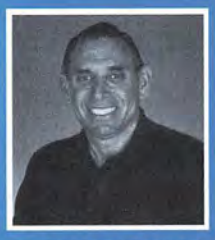

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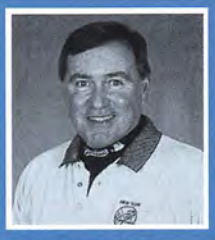

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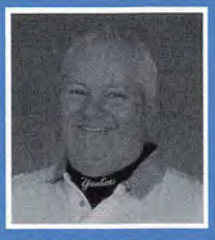

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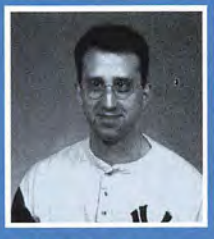

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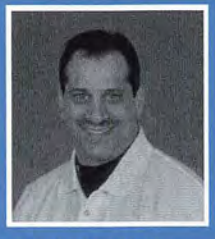

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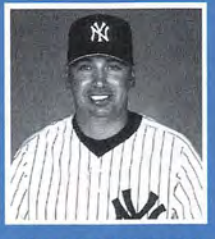

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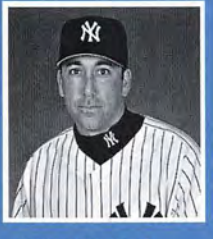

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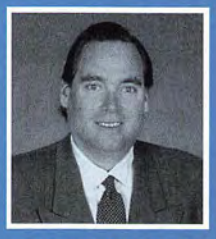

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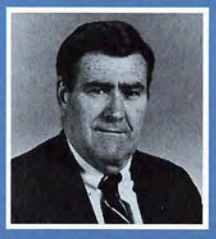

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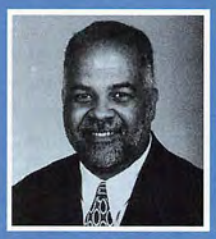

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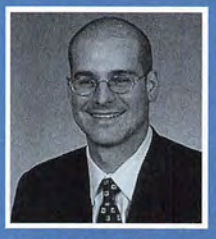

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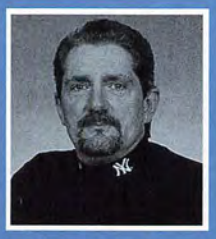

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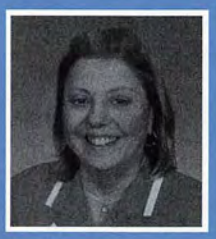

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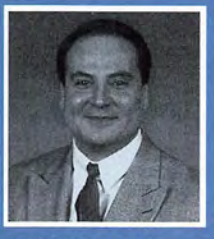

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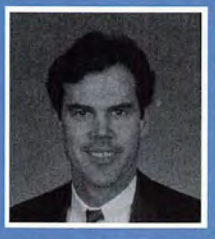

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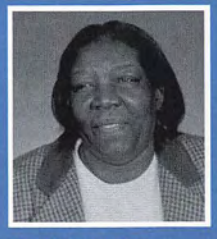

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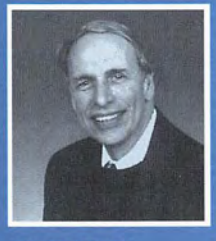

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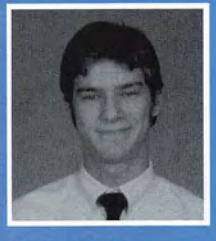

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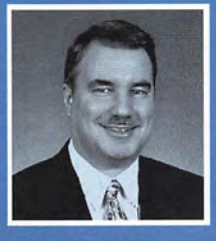

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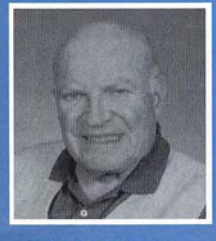

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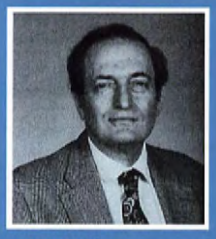

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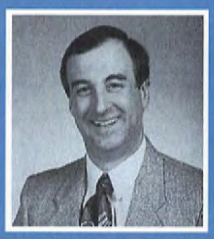

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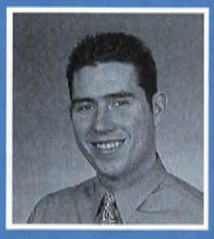

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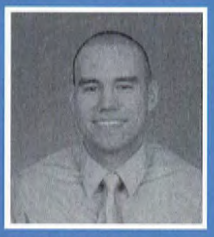

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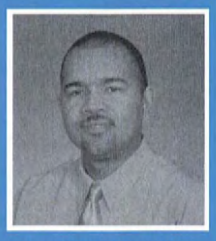

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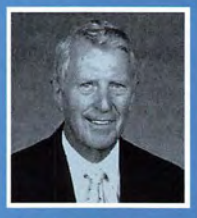

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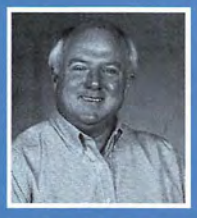

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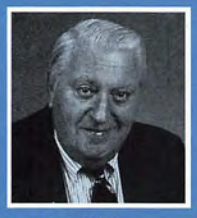

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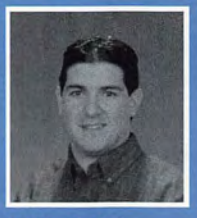

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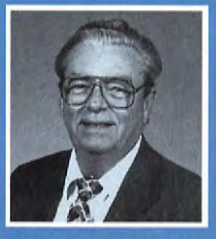

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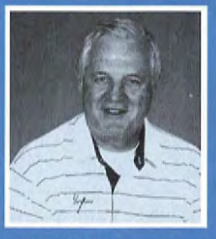

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**JOHN STERLING**
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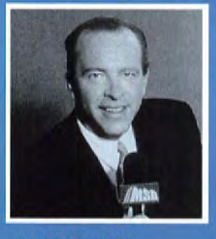
Fox5 Television

**JIM KAAT**
MSG Radio

**KEN SINGLETON**
MSG Television



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MSG Television

**SUZYN WALDMAN**
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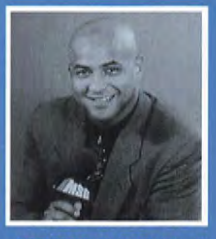

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MSG Spanish Television & Radio

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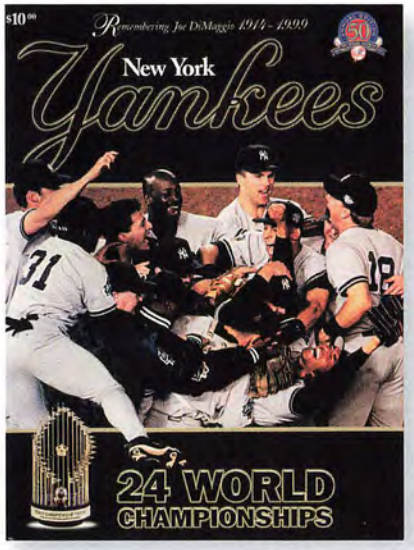


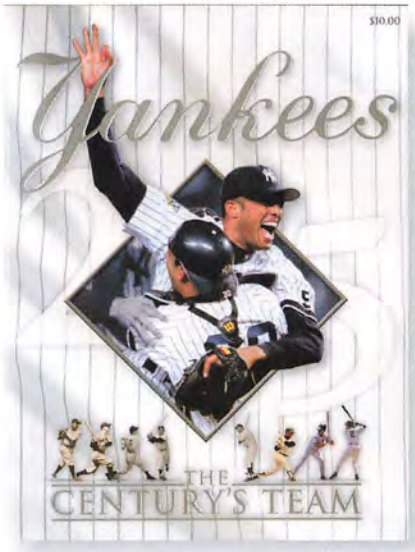

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*Additional ticket discount

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**Member Name** _____
(print clearly) (name to appear on Membership Certificate)

**Street** _____ **Apt #** _____

**City** _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

**Member's Birthday** ____/____/____ **Phone** (____)_____
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**Member's e-mail address: (optional)** _____@_____

**Parent's e-mail address:** _____

**Parent's Signature:** _____

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**Parent's Signature:** _____

Make checks /money orders payable to "New York Yankees Fan Club for Kids" (US funds only). Member Fees are for US only. Canada and overseas members add $20 per order. Please allow 6-8 weeks for delivery. Memberships are valid for one year from the date your package is shipped. Clip form and mail with payment to:

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**GPO Box 5054,**
**NY, NY 10087-5054**

Any questions? Call Fan Club Hotline at (201) 784-9600 (M-F, 9-4)

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* Members presenting their official Fan Club ID Card at the Yankees Advance Ticket Window will receive a $2.00 discount on up to four (4) Main Reserved, Tier Box or Tier Reserved tickets for any Mon-Thurs regular season home games (excluding all Senior Citizen dates).

**Complete the order form or call**
**1-800-GO-YANKS**
**for more information visit: www.yankees.com**

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## EATS AND DRINKS

**Specialty Sausage Menu**
- Hot & Sweet Sausage on a club roll w/ peppers and onions. Coca-Cola, Budweiser and Snacks.

**Sidewalk Cafe**
- Enjoy sitting at tables under umbrellas. Similar to Ballpark Menu, Specialty Sausage Menu and Food Court Menu plus Steak, BBQ and Chicken Sandwiches.

**Chicken, Fries & More**
- French Fries, Chicken Fingers, Coca-Cola, Budweiser, Hot Dogs, Sausages and Hamburgers.

**K Kosher Stand**
- Hot Dogs and Knishes.

**Ballpark Menu**
- Hot Dogs, Coca-Cola, Budweiser, Coffee, Bottled Water, Snacks and Soft Pretzels.

**Food Court Menu**
- Similar to Ballpark Menu, Specialty Sausage Menu, plus Carvel Ice Cream, Domino's Pizza, Hamburgers, Cheeseburgers, French Fries, Chicken Fingers, MexExpress and Imported Beers of the World.

**Express Stands**
- Budweiser, Coca-Cola and Soft Pretzels.

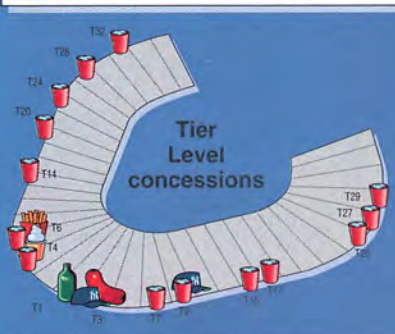
**Bakery**
- Cookies, Coffee, Hot Chocolate and Cupcakes.

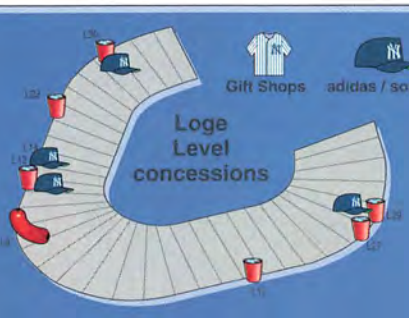
**Ice Cream**
- Ice Cream Bars and Chocolate, Vanilla or a Twist of both flavors in a cup, cone or Yankees' helmet.

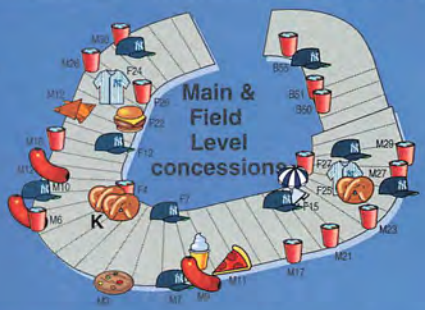
- **Domino's Pizza**

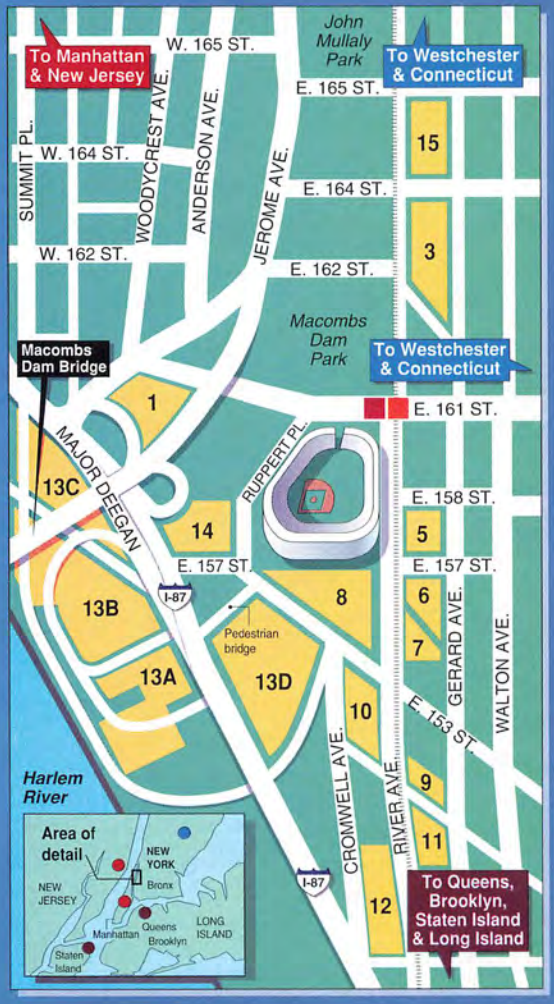
**Imported Beers of the World**
- Beers from Holland, Mexico, Germany, England, Australia and more.

**MexExpress**
- Nachos, Burritos and Fajitas.




## GETTING TO THE STADIUM

Yankee Stadium is located at 161st St. and River Avenue in the Bronx.
**NORTHBOUND I-87**: Exit 4 (149th St.) or Exit 5 (161st St.)
**SOUTHBOUND I-87**: Exit 6 (161st St.)

## KINNEY PARKING LOTS

1. East 161st St.—Jerome Ave. & Macombs Dam Bridge
3. Jerome Ave.—East 164 St. & East 162nd St.
5. River Ave.—East 158th St. & East 157th St.*
6. East 157th St.—River Ave. & Gerard Ave.
7. River Ave.—East 157th St. & 153rd St.*
8. River Ave. at 71 E. 153rd St.
9. River Ave. at East 151st St.
10. East 153rd St. at River Ave.
11. River Ave.— East 151st St. & East 150th St.
12. River Ave.— East 151st St. & East 150th St.
13. Exterior St. at Market Area
15. River Ave.—East 164th St. & East 165th St. (Bus Lot)

•Valet Parking Available  Handicapped Parking Available

## SUBWAY

The Yankee Stadium subway stop is located right outside the Stadium at the corner of 161st St. and River Ave. The Stadium is conveniently reached by several subway lines and a trip from midtown Manhattan takes less than 25 minutes. The **#4** train (east side) as well as the **B** (weekdays rush hour only) and **D** trains (west side) make stops at 161st St./ Yankee Stadium. Metro North train service to Connecticut and Westchester County is available at the 125th St. subway stop.

## BUS

Several New York City Transit Authority Bus Lines provide convenient service to Yankee Stadium. The **BX 6** and **BX 13** buses stop at 161st St./Yankee Stadium. Also, the BX 1 bus stops at 161st St./Grand Concourse a short walk from the Stadium.
If you or your group travels to Yankee Stadium in a private bus, parking is located at **164th** and **165th Streets** and **River Ave**. Police will direct you to that area. The fee is **$15**, cash only upon arrival.

For more information on subway and bus transportation to Yankee Stadium, contact the NYC Transit Authority at 718-330-1234, 6am-9pm.

## FERRY

You can take the ferry from Manhattan or New Jersey to Yankee Stadium.
For information and schedule call 1-800-53-FERRY.

- **Bottles and cans**
  A New York City ordinance prohibits fans from bringing cans, bottles (glass or plastic), jugs, coolers or hard containers of any kind into the Stadium. This is a safety measure to protect fans as well as team and Stadium personnel. If these items are found to be in your possession prior to entering the Stadium, Security personnel will ask you to dispose of the item(s). Once you enter the Stadium, canned or bottled goods will be confiscated and disposed of and coolers, jugs, etc. will be checked at the gate to be picked up as you leave the Stadium.
- **Banners and signs**
  The following rules apply to the display of these items:
  1. They may not be hung in fair territory or any part of the playing field or as to obstruct the view of fans or Stadium signage.
  2. They may only be held up in, or paraded through, the general seating area between innings.
  3. The use of weights of any kind to keep a banner or sign in place is strictly prohibited.

  NOTE: If any banner or sign interferes with the sight line of the players, the umpires may request its removal.
- **Monument Park**
  Contains historic monuments and plaques dedicated to former Yankee greats such as Babe Ruth, Lou Gehrig, Mickey Mantle and Joe DiMaggio. Park is open from the time the gates open until 45 minutes prior to the game. Access the park via staircase at the end of the aisles between Field and Main Level Section 36. The park is closed between doubleheaders and during inclement weather.

- **Great Moments Room**
  Club Level
- **Stadium Club**
  Section 12, Field Level
- **Yankee Club**
  Club Level
- **Pinstripe Pub**
  Section 8, Field Level
- **Pedestrian Mall**
  Formerly East 157th St., the Sidewalk Cafe, Advance Ticket Sales, Day of Game and Reservation windows can be found in Mall area.
- **Customer Service Booths**
  Sections 2, 9 & 33, Field Level; Section 3, Main Level; Section 7, Loge Level; Section 4, Tier Level.
- **Main Gift Shops**
  Sections 24 & 25, Field Level.

- **Non Alcohol Section**
  Tier Reserved Sections 13 & 14.
- **Designated Driver Booth**
  In return for promising responsibility for the safe and sober transportation of their group from the Stadium, a registrant will receive coupons for free sodas during the game at which they enroll. Designated Drivers must be 21 years of age and have a valid driving license. Section 4, Field Level.
- **Hall of Fame Suites**
  Loge Level Sections 9, 10, 13, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 25, 31, 32, 33 & 34
- **Luxury Suites**
  Club Level
- **Automatic Teller Machines**
  Section 9 and Section 20, Field Level.

- **First Aid**
  Section 2, Field Level and Section 15, Main Level.
- **Advance Ticket Window**
  Field Level Section 9.
- **Wheelchair Accessible Seating**
  Sections specifically designated for wheelchair seating are: Field Level Home plate boxes; Field Level boxes 82, 87, and 102-136; Main Box Level Right Field Sections 329-339; Main Reserved Level Sections 1, 2, 25, 31, 32, 33 and 34; Main Box Level Left Field Sections 332-350; Main Level Alcove Sections 2,7,8,10 and 31; Loge Level section 8; and Bleachers Platform. Handicapped elevators are located in Section 15. TV monitors are equipped in Main Sections 2,7,8 and 10.

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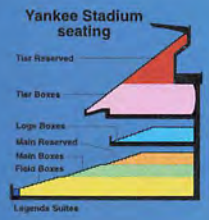


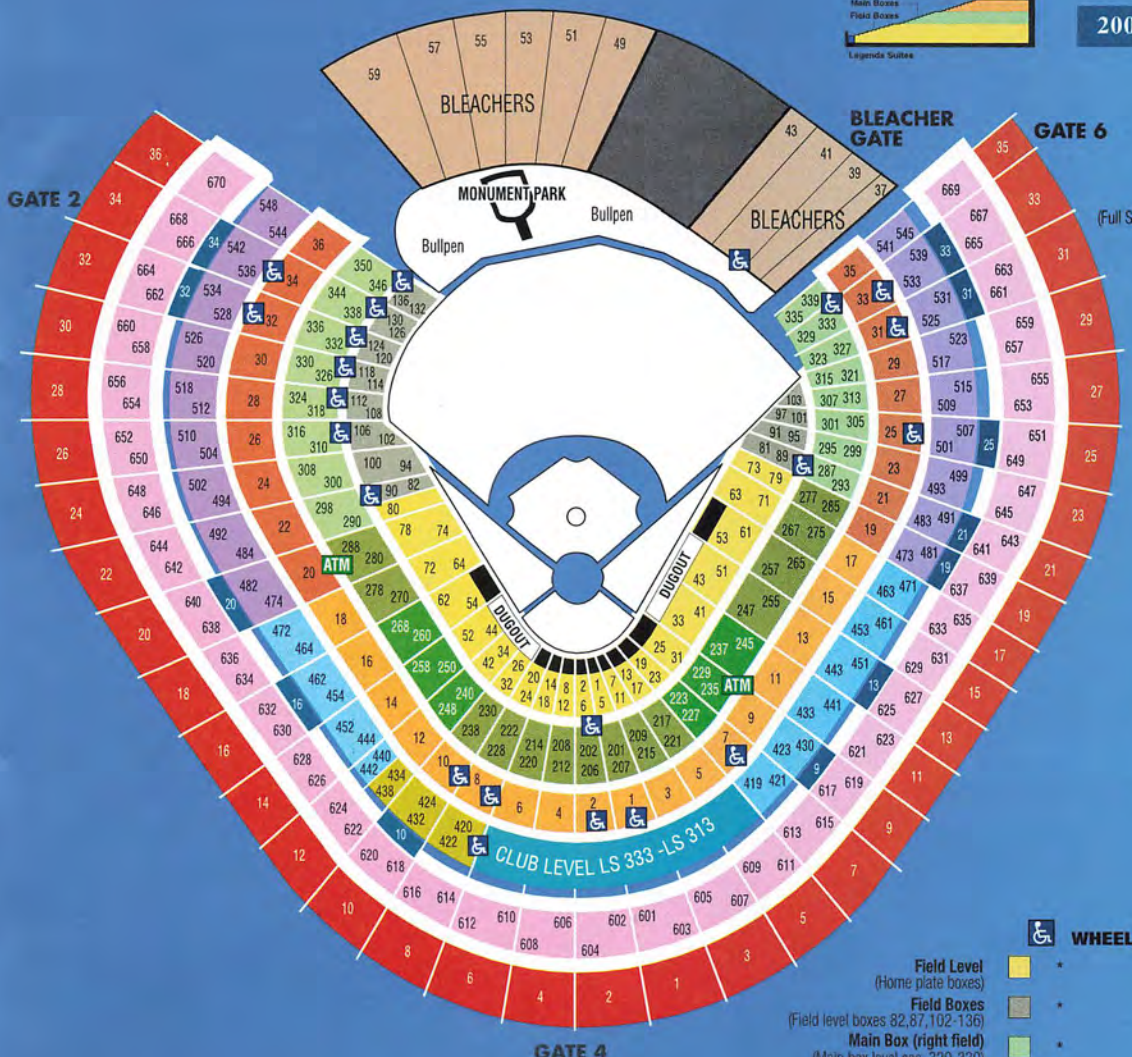


## 2001 GAME DAY TICKET PRICES

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| **Field Championship** (Full Season Only) (Field level 1-79/2-80) | $65.00 |
| **Loge Championship** (Full Season Only) (Loge box level 420-422, 424-432) | $65.00 |
| **Main Championship** (Main box level sec. 7, 9, 11, 12, 14 & 16) | $55.00 |
| **Field Boxes** (Field Level boxes 81-103 & 82-136) | $42.00 |
| **Main Boxes** (Main box level 201-221, 247-281, 202-238 and 270-282) | $47.00 |
| **Loge Boxes** (Loge box level 419-471 & 440-472) | $42.00 |
| **Main Reserved Level** (Main Reserved level sec. 1-17 & 2-18) | $37.00 |
| **Main Box** (Main box level 284-350 & 283-339) | $37.00 |
| **Loge Box** (Loge level 473-545 & 474-548) | $37.00 |
| **Tier Boxes** | $33.00 |
| **Main Reserved** (Main Reserved level sec. 19-35 & 20-36) | $33.00 |
| **Tier Reserved** | $17.00 |
| **Bleachers** (Now sold in advance for reserved seating) | $ 8.00 |
| **PREMIUM SEATING** | |
| **Club Level** | |
| **Loge Suites** (sec. 9, 10, 13, 15, 16, 19, 20, 21, 25, 31, 32, 33, 34) | |

**WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE SEATING**

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| **Field Level** (Home plate boxes) | * | **Main Box (left field)** (Main box level sec. 332-350) | * |
| **Field Boxes** (Field level boxes 82,87,102-136) | * | **Main Level** (Main level alcove sec. 2,7,8,10,31) | * |
| **Main Box (right field)** (Main box level sec. 329-339) | * | **Loge Level** (Loge Level 8) | * |
| **Main Reserved** (Main Reserved level sec. 1,2,25,31,32,33,34) | * | **Bleachers** (Platform in front of Armitron sign) | * |

* FOR 2001 PRICING, CALL 718.293.4300

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| APRIL | 5 | THU | 1:05 | KC | MLB SHOWDOWN 2001 DAY | 14 & UNDER | WIZARDS OF THE COAST |
| APRIL | 7 | SAT | 1:05 | TOR | CALENDAR DAY | ALL FANS | CONTINENTAL AIRLINES |
| APRIL | 8 | SUN | 1:05 | TOR | MAGNETIC SCHEDULE DAY | ALL FANS | VERIZON WIRELESS |
| APRIL | 21 | SAT | 1:05 | BOS | 61* CAP DAY | ALL FANS | HBO FILMS |
| APRIL | 22 | SUN | 1:05 | BOS | HIP HIPPO DAY | 14 & UNDER | HIP HEALTH PLANS |
| APRIL | 28 | SAT | 1:05 | OAK | CHAMPIONSHIP CAP DAY | ALL FANS | THE WIZ/COMPAQ |
| APRIL | 29 | SUN | 1:05 | OAK | 2000 WORLD SERIES COMMEMORATIVE PIN DAY | ALL FANS | JP MORGAN CHASE |
| MAY | 11 | FRI | 7:05 | BAL | PROMOTIONAL ITEM | 14 & UNDER | FRENCH'S MUSTARD |
| MAY | 12 | SAT | 1:05 | BAL | DEREK JETER GROWTH CHART DAY | 14 & UNDER | SKIPPY |
| MAY | 13 | SUN | 1:05 | BAL | CHAMPIONSHIP KEY RING DAY | ALL FANS | VERIZON WIRELESS |
| MAY | 24 | THU | 1:05 | BOS | ANDY PETTITTE BOBBLE-HEAD DOLL DAY | 14 & UNDER† | HORMEL/LAND O' LAKES/GENOA |
| JUNE | 2 | SAT | 1:05 | CLE | YANKEE STADIUM SNOW GLOBE DAY | ALL FANS | VERIZON WIRELESS |
| JUNE | 3 | SUN | 1:05 | CLE | WATCH DAY | 14 & UNDER | MODELL'S |
| JUNE | 8 | FRI | 7:05 | ATL | PROMOTIONAL ITEM | ALL FANS | SNAPPLE |
| JUNE | 9 | SAT | 1:05 | ATL | RING DAY | 14 & UNDER | WILLIAM BARTHMAN JEWELERS |
| JUNE | 10 | SUN | 8:05 | ATL | UMBRELLA NIGHT | 21 & OVER | ANHEUSER-BUSCH |
| JUNE | 25 | MON | 7:05 | CLE | PROMOTIONAL ITEM | 14 & UNDER | HEBREW NATIONAL |
| JUNE | 27 | WED | 1:05 | CLE | T-SHIRT DAY | 14 & UNDER | MAJESTIC ATHLETIC |
| JUNE | 29 | FRI | 7:05 | TAM | CELLULAR PHONE HOLDER NIGHT | 21 & OVER | VERIZON WIRELESS |
| JUNE | 30 | SAT | 1:05 | TAM | BAT DAY | 14 & UNDER | FLEET BANK |
| JULY | 1 | SUN | 1:05 | TAM | CAP DAY | ALL FANS | adidas |
| JULY | 2 | MON | 1:05 | TAM | DEREK JETER BOBBLE-HEAD DOLL DAY | 14 & UNDER† | HORMEL/LAND O' LAKES/GENOA |
| JULY | 6 | FRI | 7:05 | NYM | NEW YORK MERCANTILE EXCHANGE | ALL FANS | |
| JULY | 7 | SAT | 1:05 | NYM | NEW YORK MERCANTILE EXCHANGE | ALL FANS | |
| JULY | 8 | SUN | TBA | NYM | NEW YORK MERCANTILE EXCHANGE | ALL FANS | |
| JULY | 21 | SAT | 4:35 | TOR | OLD TIMERS' DAY | ALL FANS | FLEET BANK |
| JULY | 22 | SUN | 1:05 | TOR | 1937 WORLD SERIES COMMEMORATIVE PIN DAY | ALL FANS | JP MORGAN CHASE |
| JULY | 23 | MON | 7:05 | TOR | PROMOTIONAL ITEM | 14 & UNDER | FRENCH'S MUSTARD |
| JULY | 26 | THU | 1:05 | DET | ROGER MARIS—FLIP BOOK DAY | 14 & UNDER | GOODSPEED /AGT—APT |
| JULY | 31 | TUES | 7:05 | TEX | CHAMPIONSHIP BANDANNA NIGHT | 14 & UNDER | NATHAN'S FAMOUS |
| AUG | 2 | THU | 1:05 | TEX | YANKEES MAGNETIC ADRULER DAY | 14 & UNDER | POST CEREAL |
| AUG | 4 | SAT | 1:05 | ANA | KEY RING DAY | ALL FANS | AMERADA HESS CORPORATION |
| AUG | 5 | SUN | 1:05 | ANA | BEANIE KIDS FEATURING YANKEES HOME UNIFORM | 14 & UNDER†† | TY, INC. (LIMITED EDITION) |
| AUG | 6 | MON | 1:05 | ANA | PROMOTIONAL ITEM | 14 & UNDER | NESTLE |
| AUG | 15 | WED | 7:05 | TAM | KEY RING BOTTLE OPENER NIGHT | 21 & OVER | ANHEUSER-BUSCH |
| AUG | 16 | THU | 1:05 | TAM | TINO MARTINEZ BOBBLE-HEAD DOLL DAY | 14 & UNDER† | HORMEL/LAND O' LAKES/GENOA |
| AUG | 17 | FRI | 7:05 | SEA | YANKEES COMIC BOOK SERIES—PART 1 | 14 & UNDER | DEER PARK SPRING WATER |
| AUG | 18 | SAT | 4:05 | SEA | DAVE WINFIELD DAY | ALL FANS | JP MORGAN CHASE |
| AUG | 19 | SUN | 1:05 | SEA | MOUSEPAD DAY | 21 & OVER | VERIZON WIRELESS |
| AUG | 30 | THU | 1:05 | TOR | CHAMP THE CLIP-ON BEAR DAY | 14 & UNDER | MODELL'S |
| SEP | 8 | SAT | 1:05 | BOS | POSTER DAY | 14 & UNDER | WHITE ROSE FOODS |
| SEP | 9 | SUN | 1:05 | BOS | 1936 WORLD SERIES COMMEMORATIVE PIN DAY | ALL FANS | JP MORGAN CHASE |
| SEP | 28 | FRI | 7:05 | BAL | YANKEES COMIC BOOK SERIES—PART 2 | 14 & UNDER | DEER PARK SPRING WATER |
| SEP | 29 | SAT | TBA | BAL | SPORTS DUFFLE DAY | 14 & UNDER | adidas |
| SEP | 30 | SUN | 1:05 | BAL | FAN APPRECIATION DAY | ALL FANS | KODAK |

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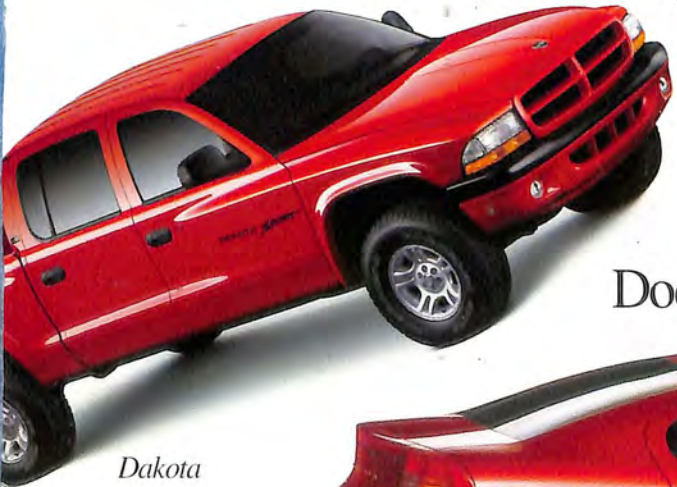

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